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III.

Daily Proceedings

THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE met in its seventy-second annual session in Simpson Chapel M. E. Church, Charlotte, North Carolina, Thursday morning, November 5, 1930, at 9:00 o'clock.

Bishop Robert E. Jones, resident Bishop of the New Orleans Area, and an honored member of the North Carolina Conference, called the session to order.

IN THE DEVOTIONAL PERIOD the Conference, led by the Church Choir, sang from the Methodist Hymnal, No. 577, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past." The Twenty-third Psalm was read responsively. Hymn No. 147, "'Tis Midnight and on Olive's Brow," was sung, after which Bishop Jones delivered the devotional address of the morning. His address, based on "Spiritual Aspects of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper," was a gem of masterful thinking and spiritual power.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER was administered by the Bishop, assisted by the four District Superintendents.

ROLL CALL: The Secretary of the last Conference was requested to call the roll.

At the calling of the names of the deceased brethren — G. W. Brower, C. E. Howard, J. W. Jones, A. G. Jenkins, N. M. Martin, E. D. Petty, Robert Smith, and Elliot Montgomery—the Conference stood while Bishop Jones invoked the blessings of God upon the bereaved families of the deceased.

Resuming the roll call, the following brethren responded to the calling of their names: J. C. Addie, J. J. Blanton, Daniel Brooks, M. J. Bullock, G. W. Byers, S. B. Cornelius, Dorsey McRae, G. W. Morehead, Marcus Mundy, and L. W. Thomas, as retired Elders.

As Effective Elders, the following answered: R. S. Abernethy, H. L. Ashe, J. A. Baxter, R. D. Bethea, N. M. Black, R. N. Brooks, J. E. Brower, B. L. Burge, G. H. Caldwell, William Chavis, J. A. Cherry, P. J. Cook, H. A. Davis, J. R. Dillard, A. M. Erwin, J. T. Foley, T. C. Frazier, H. C. Gannaway, C. S. Gidney, B. F. Gleaves, W. E. Hairston, J. W. Hall, J. M. Harris, S. J. Hayden, P. F. Johnson, R. E. Jones, D. H. Kearse, M. C. Laughlin, F. J. Lee, W. T. Lomax, S. L. May, E. H. McArthur, Marshall McCollum, R. F. McCallum, A. S. McGowans, E. M. McLeod, Robert McRae, J. B. Meekins, J. P. Morris, R. G. Morris, A. H. Newsome, N. J. Pass, G. W. Patterson, S. F. B. Peace, S. A. Peeler, G. M. Phelps, A. E. Robin-

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Henry Jones and Beverly E. Staton answered as Deacons.

Among the Probationers, Leroy W. Hedrick, G. E. Hogue, and C. W. Perry answered present.

ORGANIZATION: The Conference organized with G. H. Galdwell elected Secretary. He chose as his assistants W. S. Scarborough, W. T. Lomax, and R. S. Abernethy.

P. I. Wells, previously elected Statistician, named as his assistants W. M. Wells, H. C. Gannaway, J. B. Meekins, and E. I. Swann.

J. E. Brower, the elected Treasurer from our last session, named to assist him D. L. Thomas, Leroy Hedrick, J. C. Rush, D. H. Kearse, Robert McRae, W. R. Zeigler, P. J. Cook, and N. M. Black.

THE BAR OF THE CONFERENCE was made to include the first seven seats from the Chancel.

THE HOUR FOR OPENING the morning session was fixed at 9:00, with adjournment subject to the pleasure of the Conference.

FOR REPORTER to the Church papers and the daily press, D. L. Thomas was elected.

WELCOME ADDRESSES: The hour for welcome addresses having arrived, the following programme was presented:

On Behalf of the Local Church - - - Miss Blanche Hayes
On Behalf of the Ministerial Alliance - - Rev. D. H. Sanson
On Behalf of the City of Charlotte,
His Honor, Mayor George Wilson
Response on Behalf of the Conference,
W. M. Wells and S. A. Peeler

THE CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, Southwestern Edition, was ably represented by Mr. R. H. McAlister, Business Manager for the paper.

IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION 15, J. P. Morris, R. W. Winchester, G. M. Phelps, and James A. Baxter, District Superintendents of the Greensboro, Western, Laurinburg, and Winston Districts respectively, were passed in character.

BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS: Dr. A. L. Gray, representing the Board of Foreign Missions, was introduced to the Conference. He is a returned Missionary from India and gave a splendid account of his work while Missionary there.

BOOK CONCERN: Mr. R. H. McAlister of the Southwestern Christian Advocate, brought greetings to the Conference, and repre-

sented Mr. John Venn, of the Book Concern, who was sick in a Charlotte Hospital. He presented from the Book Concern a draft for $999.08 and a draft from the Chartered Fund of $60.00 These drafts were received for proper endorsement and ordered turned over to the Conference Treasurer for proper distribution through the Board of Stewards.

AN EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY in the form of flowers was ordered sent Mr. Venn by motion of R. G. Morris. R. G. Morris was appointed the Chairman of a Committee to convey the expressions of the Conference.

BENNETT COLLEGE FOR WOMEN: President David D. Jones, of Bennett College for Women, was introduced to the Conference. Mr. Jones, with much emphasis and effect, placed on the hearts of the Conference the interest of our school.

Following his address, Dr. H. A. Hawith of the Board of Education, was introduced. He, in fluent, fervent and forceful speech, offered the conditional proposition made by the Rosenwald Fund of a gift of $250,000 conditioned on the raising of a like sum.

A Resolution drawn by a Special Committee proposing the raising of $25,000, the campaign to begin following Easter, 1931, the full details of plan to be worked out by a special Committee of Ministers and Laymen, the District Superintendents and the President of the College being requested to serve on the Committee, was unanimously adopted by the Conference. The resolution follows:

"Resolved, First, That the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church pledge herself to raise, within a period of three years, $25,000 for the special endowment fund for Bennett College for Women;

Second, That the campaign be begun for these funds following Easter, 1931;

Third, That the details of the method of securing pledges and collection of same be left in the hands of a Committee of Ministers and Laymen, assisted by a representative from the Board of Education;

Fourth, That the District Superintendents and the President of Bennett College for Women be requested to serve on this Committee."

(Signed)
R. T. WEATHERBY,
J. P. MORRIS,
G. M. PHELPS,
R. W. WINCHESTER,
R. G. MORRIS,

The following amendment to the Resolution was also adopted:

"Resolved, That the North Carolina Conference request the Central Committee of the Board of Education and A. L. Hawith as Director of the General Movement, to co-operate with us in every possible way in raising the $25,000 allocated to the North Carolina Conference."

Those speaking to the Resolution were the following: W. M. Wells, J. A. Baxter, R. W. Winchester, G. H. Caldwell, S. A. Peeler, S. F. B. Peace, R. N. Brooks, and R. G. Morris.

Continuing the order of the day, the Secretary of the Conference called the Conference roll for delinquent Self-Denial reports to the Bennett College Improvement Fund. The full report of moneys contributed is given under "Statistical Reports." See report.

After the announcements, the morning session adjourned with the benediction by Dr. A. L. Gray.

FIRST DAY, THURSDAY — Afternoon Session.

Bishop Jones called the Conference to order at 2:15 P. M. In the devotions Hymn No. 2 was sung, and J. W. Simpson led in prayer.

QUESTION 26: "Who are the Retired Ministers?" was called. J. C. Addie, J. J. Blanton, Daniel Brooks, M. J. Bullock, G. W. Byers, S. B. Cornelius, H. O. Frederick, J. H. Garrett, J. D. Hairston, J. L. McNair, A. B. McQueen, Dorsey McRae, G. W. Morehead, Marcus Mundy, W. W. Pope, and L. W. Thomas were passed in character and was continued in the supernumerary relation for the third year.

QUESTION 25 was called. A. M. Robertson passed in character tune in the election of Bishop Jones to the Episcopacy, and upon its

QUESTION 1: In response to Question 1, the Conference reported that it has a Board of Trustees in requirement of State Law.

S. A. Peeler, Treasurer of the Conference Trustees, and J. E. Brower, Treasurer of the Conference Funds, were reported bonded to the amount of $1,000 each.

TO QUESTION 3: "Who have been readmitted?" the Confer ence answered, None.

G. M. Phelps, James A. Baxter, J. P. Morris and R. W. Winchester reported the work of the Laurinburg, Winston, Greensboro, and Western Districts respectively.

THE EFFECTIVE ELDERS of the four Districts were passed in character, and in response to the calling of the Charges, reported the number of conversions, number of accessions, World Service quota and collections, Conference Claimants quota and collections, and Episcopal Fund collections.

On account of the sickness of his wife, G. W. Morehead was excused from further attendance upon the sessions of the Conference.

BISHOP F. T. KEENEY, resident Bishop of the Atlanta Area, was introduced to the Conference. Bishop Keeney brought a forceful address on the "Work of Evangelism."

Following the announcements, the benediction was had by Bishop Keeney.

FIRST DAY, THURSDAY—Evening Session.

Anniversaries of the Board of Foreign Missions with an address by Dr. A. L. Gray, and the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension with an address by Dr. R. G. Morris, were had at the evening session.

SECOND DAY, FRIDAY—Morning Session.

Bishop Jones opened the service with a song led by D. L. Thomas, a prayer by H. L. Ashe, and Hymn No. 2 in the Hymnal, "Come Thou Almighty King."

THE JOURNAL of Thursday morning and afternoon sessions was read by the Secretary, and, with corrections, was adopted.

Expressions of sympathy were sent F. D. Caldwell, a member of the Conference, detained at home because of sickness, by motion of J. E. Hairston. The Secretary was requested to convey the expression of sympathy to Brother Caldwell, and express our regrets that he is unavoidably detained at home because of sickness.

A telegram from Doctor Allen McRossie, Secretary of the Commission on Conference Courses of Study, bringing greetings to Bishop Jones, the Board of Ministerial Training, the Undergraduate classes and the members of the Conference generally, was read by the Secretary.

SUMMER SCHOOLS FOR RURAL PASTORS: R. N. Brooks, Chairman of the Board of Ministerial Training, presented a resolution affecting Summer Schools for Rural Pastors. The resolution was adopted. See resolution.

SUMMER SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY: A resolution purporting to arrange a Summer School of Theology within the confines of the North Carolina Conference was presented by R. N. Brooks, and adopted. See resolution.

By request of the Chairman of the Board of Ministerial Training, the number on the Board was ordered increased from eleven to fifteen. For members of the Board of Ministerial Training, see Boards and Committees.

A collection was lifted to defray some items of local expense connected with fuel and janitor hire at Simpson Chapel Church, the Church in which the Conference was held.

UNDER QUESTION 6: "Who have been continued on trial?" George E. Hogue, passed in character, was advanced to the studies of the second year. Leander A. Brown, James E. Green, Leroy W. Hedrick, Prince Albert Taylor, and Cyrus W. Perry were passed in character and advanced to the studies of the third year. Henry Jones

and Beverly E. Staton were passed in character and advanced to the studies of the fourth year.

UNDER QUESTION 10: "What members are in studies of the fourth year?" the names of Henry Jones and Beverly E. Staton were inserted.

UNDER QUESTION 5: "Who have been received on trial?" Charles G. Bynum was received on trial and placed in the studies of the first year.

THE COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS presented the names of D. A. Hill for reception on trial, and F. S. Abernathy and J. H. Foy for recognition of orders. In each case action was deferred for further consideration.

IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, the Conference answered, None.

IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION 39: "Where shall the next Conference be held?" Leaksville, Lenoir, High Point, and Reidsville extended invitations. By majority vote the invitation from High Point was accepted. The Conference immediately expressed its thanks to the other Churches extending invitations, requesting the Pastors of each to convey their appreciation to the officers of the Churches involved, and made the acceptance of St. Mark Church at High Point unanimous.

Bishop Jones announced Hymns No. 409 and 411, both of which the Conference sang lustily.

INTRODUCTIONS: Rev. John Brower, Rev. J. Wesley Manning, and Rev. George Washington, all of the East Tennessee Conference, were introduced .

UNDER QUESTION 2: "Who have been received by transfer, and from what Conferences?" Rev. John Wells was announced transferred from the Central Alabama Conference.

BISHOP GEORGE C. CLEMENT, D.D., LL.D., one of the distinguished Bishops of the A. M. E. Z. Church, was introduced. Bishop Clement delivered an address bringing greetings from his great Church and felicitating the North Carolina Conference upon its fortune in the election of Bishop Jones to the Episcopacy, and upon its opportunity to help righten some of the mooted problems of our age.

Following Hymn No. 410 from the Methodist Hymnal, DR. H. L. McCRORY, President of Johnson C. Smith University, Charlotte, was introduced to the Conference. He was referred to by Bishop Clement as among the most distinguished of Charlotte's citizens. Doctor McCrory's address was heartily received.

A motion prevailed that when the morning session adjourned it should adjourn to meet at 2:45 in the afternoon.

IN THE MORNING ADDRESS Bishop Jones read a scripture from Ephesians, 6th Chapter. He delivered an address which moved the Conference to determined resolve to serve our Master, Jesus Christ, with more determined effort than ever before.

Following the announcements, Bishop George C. Clement pronounced the benediction.

SECOND DAY, FRIDAY—Afternoon Session.

Bishop Jones opened the session with songs Nos. 101 and 423. A. H. Newsome led in prayer. The devotional period closed with Hymn No. 99.

At this point in the session Bishop Jones requested Bishop George C. Clement, of the A. M. E. Z. Church, to preside.

The Secretary of the Conference expressed his appreciation for the kindly co-operation the men of the Conference give him in their prompt response to request that all matter for the Minutes be passed in immediately following action by the Conference. He also expressed a satisfaction at the method used in collections for the Minute Fund. Request was made that the four District Superintendents report their collections to the Secretary at some time during the session of the Conference.

By motion of S. A. Peeler, the four District Superintendents and the Secretary were made the Publishing Committee.

By motion of S. A. Peeler, the Conference ordered the publishing of 1200 Minutes. These are to be distributed to the Pastors, through the District Superintendents, the District Superintendents being held responsible for the number of Minutes distributed by them throughout their Districts.

MOCKSVILLE AND CONCORD PROPERTY: A matter affecting our Church property at Mocksville and Concord, presented by James A. Baxter, was referred to the Board of Trustees.

A RESOLUTION FROM FACULTY AND STUDENTS OF BENNETT COLLEGE FOR WOMEN was read by the Secretary. The Resolution expressed an appreciation for the rich physical and spiritual heritage the new school came into, and assured the Conference and the Alumni of its determination to "carry on." The Resolution was adopted. See Resolution.

President Jones, in presenting the revised, complete Self-Denial collection, expressed the appreciation of the school for the offerings as collected through the various Charges and contributed for use of the College.

The Bennett College Quartette rendered several selections, to the delight of the Conferences.

REPRESENTING THE BOARD OF PENSIONS AND RELIEF, Dr. Charles R. Oaten was introduced. Dr. Oaten pronounced an approved dividend from his Board for the year of $484, and an interest on permanent investments to the amount of $12.12, making a total of $496.12 to be distributed to the Conference Claimants on the quarterly basis.

A Resolution complimentary to Bishop George C. Clement was offered by R. W. Winchester. The Resolution was adopted. See Resolution.

Bishop Clement expressed a pleasure at being present and bade the Conference a fond farewell.

Hymn No. 443 was sung.

IN THE SERIES ON EVANGELISM, Bishop F. T. Keeney delivered his second address in the series from the subject, "The Vanishing Sinner."

The session adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Keeney.

SECOND DAY, FRIDAY — Evening Session.

The Anniversary of the Board of Education was the order, with W. M. Wells presiding.

The Musical Club from Bennett College for Women rendered a program of song and recitation. President Jones delivered the address of the evening. The entire program was of high college rank.

Following the collection and announcements the benediction was had by J. P. Morris.

THIRD DAY, SATURDAY — Morning Session.

Bishop Jones conducted devotions by using Hymns Nos. 5, 43, 741, 82, 84. A Scripture from the Psalter was read, and M. J. Bullock led in prayer.

The minutes of Friday morning and afternoon sessions were read and adopted.

A letter from Mr. John Venn, of the Book Concern, expressing his appreciation for the kindness shown him while in the Charlotte Hospital by the brethren of the Conference, was read by the Secretary.

Mr. McAlister called attention to accounts at the Depositories of the Book Concern at New York, Chicago, and Cincinnati. He requested the brethren of the North Carolina Conference to maintain

their former record of being good buyers of good books and of taking care of the accounts with the Book Concern.

Dr. Charles R. Oaten spoke relative to work of the Board of Pensions and Relief.

A lively discussion ensued relative to the Conference Claimants plan adopted at our last session of the Conference, resulting in leaving the entire matter as it formerly stood.

ANNUITY OF A SUPERNUMERARY PREACHER: A discussion arose relative to the present status of the claims of the widow of the late E. D. Petty. Bishop Jones ruled that the widow of a man dying in the Supernumerary relation was entitled to such claims as his years of active service in the ministry would warrant. With regard to the number of years E. D. Petty had served in the active ranks, a settlement was made by a motion that the number of years be referred to the Board of Stewards for settlement.

Rising to a question of personal privilege, G. M. Phelps presented a box of flowers from the faculty and students of Johnson C. Smith University to Bishop Robert E. Jones. Bishop Jones in kindly and grateful words accepted the flowers.

A Resolution with regard to the School of Methods, presented by R. G. Morris, was adopted by the Conference. See Resolution.

Prior to the Devotional Address of the morning, the Conference sang No. 409. Bishop F. T. Keeney delivered his final address in his series on Evangelism, using as his subject, "The Sin of Indifference." Following the address, Hymn No. 446 was sung.

Dr. Arthur R. Howard of the Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals, was introduced. He made remarks relative to the work of his Board.

Bishop Jones appointed R. S. Abernathy, Marshall McCollum, R. T. Weatherby and N. J. Pass as additional members of the Board fo Miniserial Training. The appointment was confirmed.

The Permanent Committee on the Bennett College Endowment Campaign, known as the Follow-Up Committee, was named as follows: R. T. Weatherby, R. G. Morris, G. H. Caldwell, W. B. Windsor, J. A. McCray and the four District Superintendents. The Committee was confirmed.

In conformity with State requirement, the Conference trustees were elected. By order of the Conference, the Secretary cast its ballot for R. W. Winchester, H. L. Ashe, W. B. Scales, G. M. Phelps, P. J. Cook, S. F. B. Peace, J. E. Brower, M. J. Bullock and S. A. Peeler, as Trustees for the Conference. The Secretary announced the ballot cast and they were declared elected.

As Statistician for the ensuing year, P. I. Wells was elected.

As Treasurer for the ensuing year, J. E. Brower was elected.

QUESTION 31: "What is the Statistician's Report?" was called. The Statistician's Report was approved. See Report.

Dr. M. S. Davage, President of Clark University, was introduced. His address was received with hearty applause.

ALLEN HOME SCHOOL: A communication from Miss L. A. Bell, Superintendent of Allen Home School, was read by the Secretary. The Secretary was asked to convey to Miss Bell expressions of appreciation for the work of Allen Home School through the years.

Miss Isabell R. Jones, President of the Conference Woman's Home Missionary Society, and representative of Allen Home, was introduced.

Mrs. S. A. Peeler, Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Woman's Home Missionary Society, was also introduced. Both Miss Jones and Mrs. Peeler brought greetings from the Society which they represented and requested a full attendance of the members of the Conference at their Anniversary Program in the afternoon. Miss Jones expressed the appreciation of Allen Home School for the support given the school in former years, and requested that we continue our support, especially in the interest of the Daniel Brooks Memorial Library Fund, begun by the Conference.

THE HARSHAW PROPERTY AT MOXVILLE: A question of Law arose relative to distribution of funds accruing from the Harshaw property at Moxville. Bishop Jones ruled that any such fund must be kept in trust for such use as had been designated by the donor. In accordance with this ruling, the Conference ordered that a $50 check, together with any other funds accruing from the property should be held in trust by the Trustees as custodians of the fund.

The meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society was announced for 2:00 in the afternoon.

A motion prevailed that when we adjourn we should meet at 3:00 P. M.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: The Conference ordered an immediate executive session. The pastor appointed to St. Paul Church at Winston-Salem was made the custodian of Conference Claimants funds granted to W. W. Pope. A Resolution was presented by R. W. Winchester, instructing the Conference Board of Trustees to look into the financial needs of the Charlotte Mission, and, if possible, save the property to the Methodist Episcopal Church. The Resolution was adopted.

A collection amounting to $21.00 was lifted to take care of the Conference expense of the Retired Ministers attending the Confer-

ence. The method of taking care of this expense in the future was left, by motion of the Conference, with the pastor of the Church entertaining the Conference.

The benediction was pronounced by Bishop Jones.

THIRD DAY, SATURDAY — Afternoon Session.

At the close of the Woman's Home Missionary Society meeting, Bishop Jones opened the afternoon session by announcing Hymn No. 300.

The Minutes of the morning session were adopted.

Conference Boards and Commissions as nominated by the Cabinet, were read by the Secretary of the Cabinet, and confirmed by the Conference.

THE ELISHA HOWARD PROPERTY: A Resolution allowing the Trustees to sell the Elisha Howard property, located at Asheboro, was offered by R W. Winchester and adopted by the Conference. See resolution.

IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION 4, Franklin S. Abernathy was received as Elder on credentials from the A. M. E. Church. John H. Foye was received as Elder on credentials from the A. M. E. Z. Church, and placed in the studies of the third year. S. H. Pressley was received as Elder on credentials from the Baptist Church and was placed in studies of the third year.

CONTINUING QUESTION 5, D. A. Hill, in an earlier session, referred back to the Committee on Conference Relations, was received on trial and placed in the studies of the first year.

UNDER QUESTION 12, John Luther Alford, John W. Fairley, and James Henry Ledwell were elected to local Deacon's Orders.

IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION 13, no one was elected to Elders Orders.

IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION 24, no other personal notations were made.

QUESTION 34: "What are the claims on the Conference Funds?" was called. The Board of Stewards reported receipts and disbursements as indicated in their report. Their report showed an annuity of 940 years at the rate of $11.00 per year, aggregating $10,340.00, less $1,562.00 for deductable income, making an annuity claim of $8,778.00. They reported for Necessitous Distribution $450.00, making a total claim of $9,228.00. For full details, see their report.

The Conference requested the Stewards to distribute the checks

to the Conference Claimants, making a note of the persons through whom the checks were sent, and passing the notation to the Secretary for publication.

The Board of Trustees presented their report. The report was adopted. See report.

The Publishing Committee made its report. The report was adopted. See Trustees' Report.

By motion of H. L. Ashe, the Conference authorized the District Superintendents to pay into the funds of the Conference Trustees, interest on borrowed money at the annual session at Winston-Salem in 1929 out of the first fund coming in from the Easter World Service collections.

On a question of personal privilege, G. M. Phelps presented a box containing the tithe of A. G. Jenkins deceased, with the request of his widow that the funds go to the World Service credit of the Charlotte Church.

Bishop Jones addressed the Conference on the work at the Waveland Assembly Grounds. A contribution of $75.00 was raised to assist Bishop Jones in the Waveland project.

QUESTION 32: "What is the Conference Treasurer's Report?" was called. The Treasurer made his report. The report was adopted with permission to the Treasurer to correct any errors and discrepancies and pass in to the Secretary for publication.

R. N. Brooks, R. G. Morris and Marshall McCollum were passed in character, each of whom made a few remarks affecting the work of his field.

The printed journal became the official record of the Seventy-second Session of the Conference, by motion of G. H. Caldwell.

On a question of personal privilege, J. C. Rush, on the part of the men of the Laurinburg District, presented to G. M. Phelps, their retiring District Superintendent, a purse. Rev. Phelps made a happy response, assuring the men of his gratitude.

Bishop Jones spoke of the Gammon Lectureship Course and urged those having made subscriptions to pay their pledges.

Rev. G. A. Thomas, of the South Carolina Conference, was introduced.

After announcements, the session adjourned with the benediction by Rev. G. A .Thomas.

FOURTH DAY, SUNDAY — Morning Service.

At 10:00 in the morning, the Love Feast service was conducted

by the following: Marcus Mundy, G. W. Byers, M. J. Bullock, Daniel Brooks, Dorsey McCrae.

At 11:00 in the morning, the preaching service was held. The sermon was delivered by Bishop Robert E. Jones. It was fraught with fervor, eloquence and spiritual power.

An offering of $171.66 was lifted as a Conference offering to be donated to Simpson Chapel Church, where the Conference was held.

In the afternoon, a Memorial Service was held, led by S. F. B. Peace, Chairman of the Committee on Memorials. The following deceased brethren were memorialized:

Robert Smith, born at Asheboro, N. C., died at Brown Summit, N. C.
N. M. Martin, born in Canada, died at Asheville, N. C.
G. W. Brower, born in Guilford County, died at High Point, N. C.
J. W. Jones, born in Caldwell County, died in Guilford County.
C. E. Howard, born in Shelby, N. C., died in Moxville, N. C.
A. D. Jenkins, born in Louisiana, died in Charlotte, N. C.
E. D. Petty, born in Rome, Ga., died in Chicago, Ill.
Elliot Montgomery, a member of the First Year Class.

Among those delivering eulogies were: W. T. Lomax, W. R. Zeigler, R. T. Weatherby, P. J. Cook, W. B. Scales, A. H. Newsome, W. M. Wells, and G. H. Caldwell.

ORDINATION SERVICE: Bishop Jones ordained as local Deacons, John Luther Alford, John W. Fairley ,and John Henry Ledwell.

A motion prevailed that after the reading of complimentary resolutions, the announcements, a period of devotions, and the reading of the appointments, the Seventy-second Session of the North Carolina Conference, assembled in Simpson Chapel M. E. Church, Charlotte, N. C., should stand adjourned, sine die.

The Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, D. H. Kearse, read Resolutions complimentary to all persons having to do with the operations of the sessions of the Conference.

READING OF APPOINTMENTS:- After a devotional period in which a song was sung and prayers offered, Bishop Jones read the appointments. The District Superintendents were requested to name the Supplies for the respective Charges and make whatever announcements they deemed necessary. See list of appointments.

With the benediction by Bishop Robert E. Jones, the Seventy-second Session of the North Carolina Conference came to an end.

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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTED JOURNAL:

We certify that the above is a faithful and correct record of the proceedings of the Seventy-second Session of the North Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

(Signed)

Robert E. Jones, President.

G. Haven Caldwell, Secretary.

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CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION:

This is to certify that on Sunday afternoon, November 9, 1930, in Simpson Chapel M. E. Church, Charlotte, N. C., at the seat of the North Carolina Conference, I, Robert E. Jones, assisted by other Elders, ordained as Deacons John Luther Alford, John W. Fairley, and John Henry Ledwell. This also certifies the recognition of Orders of Franklin S. Abernathy, John H. Foy, and S. H. Pressley.

(Signed)

ROBERT E. JONES,

Bishop in the Methodist Episcopal Church.

IV.

Disciplinary Questions

The North Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, held in Charlotte, N. C., from November 5, 1930, to November 9, 1930. Bishop Robert E. Jones, presiding. Secretary, G. H. Caldwell, Laurinburg, N. C.; Statistician, P. I. Wells, Hickory, N. C.; Treasurer, J. E. Brower, Asheboro, N. C.; Registrar, S. A. Peeler, Asheville, N. C.

1. (a) Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirements of the Discipline? Is has a Board of Trustees in requirement of State Law.
   (b) What Officers and persons holding moneys, funds, etc., are bonded, and in what amounts, according to the requirement of the Discipline? A. S. Peeler, Treasurer, Trustees, $1,000; J. E. Brower, Treasurer, Conference, $1,000.

2. Who have been received by transfer, and from what Conference? John Wells, from the Central Alabama Conference.

3. Who have been readmitted? None.

4. Who have been received on Credentials, and from what Churches? Franklin S. Abernethy, Elder, A. M. E. Church; John H. Foy, Elder, A. M. E. Z. Church (3-year class); S. H. Pressley, Elder from Baptist Church (3-year class.)

5. Who have been received on trial? Charles G. Bynum, Dock Arf Hill.
   (b) In Studies of Third Year under the Seminary Rule. None.
   (c) Exempt from Course of Study under Seminary Rule. None.

6. Who have been continued on trial?
   (a) In Studies of First Year. None.
   (b) In Studies of Second Year. George E. Hogue.
   (c) In Studies of Third Year. Leander A. Brown, James E. Green, Leroy W. Hedrick, Cyrus W. Perry, Prince Albert Taylor.
   (d) In Studies of Fourth Year. Henry Jones, Beverly E. Staton.

7. Who have been discontinued? None.

8. Who have been admitted into Full Membership?
   (a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year. None.
   (b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously. None.
   (c) Elected to be Ordained Elsewhere. None.
   (d) Ordained Deacon, having been previously elected by Conference. None.

9. What Members are in Studies of Third Year?
   (a) Admitted into Full Membership this year on Credentials: John H. Foy, S. H. Pressley.
   (b) Admitted into Full Membership previously. None.

10. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year? Henry Jones, Beverly E. Staton.

11. What Members have completed the Conference Course of Study?

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year. None.
(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously. None.
(c) Elected and Ordained Elders under the Seminary Rule. None.
(d) Elected to be Ordained elsewhere. None.
(e) Ordained Elder, having been previously elected by ..... Conference. None.
(f) Ordained Elder elsewhere under our Election. None.

12. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?
(a) As Local Preachers. John Luther Alford, John W. Fairley, John Henry Ledwell.
(b) Under Missionary Rule. None.
(c) Under the Seminary Rule. None.
(d) Elected by this Conference and Ordained elsewhere. None.

13. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?
(a) As Local Deacons. None.
(b) Under Missionary Rule. None.
(c) Elected by this Conference and Ordained elsewhere. None.

14. Who have been left without Appointment to attend one of our Schools? J. A. Cherry.

15. Was the Character of each Preacher examined. This was strictly done in open Conference.

16. Who have been Transferred ,and to what Conference? None.

17. Who have Died? G. W. Brower, J. W. Jones, N. M. Martin, E. D. Petty, C. E. Howard, A. G. Jenkins, Elliot Montgomery, Robert Smith.

18. Who have been Located at their own Request? None.

19. Who have been Located? None.

20. Who have Withdrawn?
(a) From the Ministry. None.
(b) From the Ministry and Membership of the Church. None.
(c) By Surrender of the Ministerial Office. None.

21. Who have been Deprived of the Ministerial Office? None.

22. Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints? None.

23. Who have been Expelled? None.

24. What other personal Notation should be made? None.

25. Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation? A. M. Robertson, for three years.

26. Who are the Retired Ministers? J. C. Addie, J. J. Blanton, Daniel Brooks, M. J. Bullock, G. W. Byers, S. B. Cornelius, H. O. Frederick, J. H. Garrett, J. D. Hairston, J. R. McNair, A. B. McQueen, Dorsey McRae, G. W. Morehead, Marcus Munday, W. W. Pope, L. W. Thomas.

27. Who have been granted Leave of Absence? None.

28. Who are the Triers of Appeals? S. A. Peeler, R. G. Morris, N. J. Pass, P. I. Wells, G. H. Caldwell. Reserves: A. H. Newsome, R. B. Rhyne.

29. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension? No report.

30. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions? No report.

31. What is the Statistical Report? See report.

32. What is the Conference Treasurer's Report? See report.

33. (a) What is the Aggregate of the Benevolence Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer? $7,695.00.

(b) What is the Aggregate of the Benevolence Collections ordered by the Annual Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer? $976.00.

34. What are the Claims on the Conference Funds?

For Annuity distribution, 940 years multiplied by the Disciplinary rate of $11.00 per year, $10,340.00. $10,340.00 minus $1,562.00=$8,778.00. For Necessitous distribution, $450.00. Total, $9,228.00.

35. (a) What has been Received on these Claims?

From The Book Concern, $999.00. From Annual Conference Investments, $12.00.

From the Chartered Fund, $60.00. From Pastoral Charges, $776.00.

From Board of Pensions and Relief, $471.00. From Other Sources, $13.00. Total, $2,347.00.

(b) How has it been Applied? To Conference Claimants as directed by Conference Board of Stewards. See Report of Stewards.

36. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference, to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants? 5 per cent of total Pastors' Salary, $2,795.00.

37. Is there a Conference Sustentation Fund Society, and what is its report? No report.

38. Where are the Preachers Stationed? See List of Appointments.

39. Where shall the Next Conference be held? St. Mark, High Point, North Carolina.

V.

Appointments

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

J. P. MORRIS, District Superintendent.

Charge	Pastor
Brown Summit	E. H. McArthur
Bullock	J. L. Alford (Supply)
Caswell	J. H. Ledwell (Supply)
Empire	B. C. Littlejohn (Supply)
Greensboro:	
East	Jno. Shufford
High Street	J. W. Wells
Extension	J. M. Joyce (Supply)
St. Matthew	R. T. Weatherby
South	R. F. McCallum
North-West	A. S. McGowan
South-East	A. Smitherman (Supply)
Guilford	R. D. Bethea
Leaksville	J. W. Simpson
Newport News	Frank S. Abernethy
Oxford	J. W. Hall
Pleasant Ridge, Va.	C. B. Love (Supply)
Ramseur	Henry Davis
Reidsville	W. T. Lomax
Rankin-Hickory Grove	G. T. Foley
Randleman	John H. Foy
West Raleigh	P. J. Cook

LAURINBURG

WILLIAM WELLS, District Superintendent.

Charge	Pastor
Beauty Spot-New Zion	S. J. Haden
Bowman-Mt. Zion	N. S. Shambourger
Charlotte	R. S. Abernethy
Charlotte Mission	S. E. Green
Goldsboro	E. M. Leek (Supply)
Hamlet	Robert McRae
Hamlet South	Baxter Jones (Supply)
Hoffman Circuit	H. M. McNair (Supply)
Johns-Beaverdam	M. M. Patrick
Laurinburg-Cool Springs	G. H. Caldwell
Lumberton	W. E. Hairston
Maxton-Piney Grove	J. C. Rush
Pembroke Circuit	R. C. Little (Supply)
Red Springs-Fayetteville	J. B. Meekins
Rockingham-Philadelphia	D. H. Kearse
Rowland-Salem	P. F. Johnson
Sandford Circuit	E. L. Fletcher (Supply)
St. Mark-Hickory Bend	O. J. Covington (Supply)
Wilmington	E. A. Rush (Supply)

WESTERN DISTRICT

R. W. WINCHESTER, District Superintendent.

Charge	Pastor
Asheville	S. A. Peeler

Bessemer City and Kings Mountain	F. J. Lee
Boone	S. E. Dunham (Supply)
Catawba	J. R. Dillard
Cherryville-St. Paul, Shelby	B. F. Gleaves
Forest City	B. E. Staton
Franklin	Leroy Hedrick
Gastonia	H. C. Gannaway
Hickory	P. I. Wells
Lawndale and Brooks	N. J. Pass
Lenoir	R. B. Rhyne
Lenoir Circuit	G. Duly (Supply)
Lincolnton-Mt. Holly	A. E. Robinson
Lowesville-McPeeler-St. James	E. M. McLeod
Marion	T. C. Frazier
Mooresville-Mayhew-Mt. Morn	A. M. Erwin
Hunters-Cornelius	W. C. Cook (Supply)
Newton-Conover	B. L. Burge
Old Fort	E. D. Swan
Sherrills-Ford-Ebenezer	Wm. Chavis
Statesville-Philadelphia	A. H. Newsome
Union Mills-Brackettown	J. H. Meeks (Supply)
West Asheville	S. H. Pressley
Waynesville	J. M. Harris
Wilkesboro	G. W. Patterson

WINSTON DISTRICT

J. E. BROWER, Winston, N. C., District Superintendent

Charge	Pastor
Advance	R. J. Shipp
Asheboro	F. D. Caldwell
Elkin-Jonesville	D. C. Skeen
High Point:	
Brooks Memorial	W. C. Scarboro
St. Mark	H. L. Ashe
Kernersville	B. F. Thomas
Lexington	S. F. B. Peace
Madison	W. B. Scales
Mt. Airy	C. L. Gidney
Penn Hook, Virginia	H. C. Hoag
Rural Hall	Henry Jones
Thomasville-East	M. C. Laughlin
Thomasville	D. L. Thomas
Trinity	S. L. May
Walnut Cove-Red Brook	Ira Friend (Supply)
Winston-Salem:	
Boston Cottage -Oak Grove	E. Frost (Supply)
Mt. Pleasant	W. R. Zeigler
St. Andrews	N. M. Black
St. Paul	G. M. Phelps
Zion Hill-Hazes	C. G. Bynum
Star	A. Hill

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

R. N. Brooks—Professor in Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Georgia, Brooks Chapel Quarterly Conference.

R. G. Morris—Field Worker, Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, Gastonia Quarterly Conference.

C. W. Perry—Professor Clark University, Gastonia Quarterly Conference.

J. A. Cherry—Left without appointment to attend school, Hickory Quarterly Conference.

A. M. Robinson—Supernumerary, Bessemer City Quarterly Conference.

Marshall McCallum—Head of Department of Religious Education, Claflin College, Newport News Quarterly Conference.

VI.

REPORTS

A—District Superintendents

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

J. P. MORRIS, District Superintendent.

Dear Bishop and Brethren:

We are made happy again by the presence of Bishop R. E. Jones, who comes to preside over us during this Conference session. The North Carolina Conference is proud of him and we are always ready to co-operate with him in making our sessions pleasant. Because of the goodness and mercy of our Heavenly Father, we are permitted to make this, our fourth report, of the work of the Greensboro District. This has been the most strenuous year financially that we have ever witnessed. Early in the Conference year there came a depression over the entire country which, of course, reached our district. But we rallied early in the year and pledged ourselves to carry over the program of the Church at a sacrifice. In our first Quarterly Conferences we laid our plans for the entire year, which, should we have been able to carry them out, would have landed us triumphantly on this end of the year.

World Service

Not only has there been a financial slump over the entire country, but the Greensboro District, in addition, has been the victim of an extended drought which seriously affected the entire farming section. Our district, being largely rural, and our constituency depending almost entirely upon their farms, the churches were helpless and could not meet all of their obligations promptly, and many of them that have never failed before could not meet their obligations at all. However, we have struggled through the year, making sacrifices upon sacrifices until we came within a few dollars of our obligations on World Service. According to reports given in the Fourth Quarterly Conferences, we will make a fine showing when all conditions and circumstances are considered. Several of the brethren have reported in full on World Service but are short in everything else. The special October call was generally responded to and thereby several hundred dollars were added to our collections which otherwise would have been lacking.

Church Schools

Our young people are being well cared for in our district. The Sunday School report is an advance over last year, both in member-

ship and also in method of work done. The Church Schools are becoming more and more efficient each year and the interest displayed by our young people in these schools is evident to the casual observer. We are grading them also in our best charges where the students are sufficiently qualified to be benefited by so doing. However, we are not placing any discount on the international system.

Young People's Work

We regard the Epworth League as pre-eminently the young people's work, yet we also urge that the older people attend the services. Progress is being made in our League work yearly. The Epworth League Convention this year was a decided improvement over last year, though the last year's meeting was fine. The papers and the discussions of them were the best imaginable.

Education

The educational facilities of our district will probably surpass that of any of the other districts. Among these facilities is Bennett College for Women. This is a unique institution and is exceptionally equipped. Its growth since the change of work, just four year ago, is phenomenal. There have been advancements made along all lines yearly. From the president down through the entire working force there has been discernable improvement. We are very proud of the work that is being done by President Jones and his efficient corps of teachers and helpers. There seems to be nothing omitted that belongs to be done by such an institution. Not only is stress put upon book knowledge, but a general education in home-making and community life is emphasized. A week's training in this line is given freely every year. This school for our girls, and Allen Home for both girls and boys, are brought to the attention of our young people throughout the district. Not only so, but we call attention to other schools of other denominations and urge the young people to take advantage of any Christian school.

Material Improvement

The work of building and improving the churches and parsonages has not been so good this year because of the lack of finances caused by the financial depression of the entire country. Yet at a few points we have made wonderful material improvement. On the East Greensboro charge there has been fine work done at Basses Chapel. A large brick veneered church is far on the way of completion. When completed, it will be the best country church in the entire Conference and will surpass a goodly number of the city or village churches. There has been excellent work done on two of the churches of the Empire charge. A commodious and well arranged wooden structure has been completed on the Empire charge at a nominal cost of $1,200, with all indebtedness paid with the exception of $157. Also, a snug little home for worship has been finished and dedicated on the same charge at Stout's Chapel. Improvements have been made on the parsonage property of this same charge. A few other points have made slight improvements on the churches and property, such as painting, etc.

Our Retired Brethren

We want to commend to this Conference again our honored retired brethren of the district. We feel the loss of one from our roll this year, Brother J. W. Jones. Yet we know that he is in the safe beyond, where the true servants of the Master reside, in the home prepared by our Saviour for all His faithful followers. We still have on this honored roll Brothers M. J. Bullock, G. W. Byers, L. W. Thomas, and J. H. Garrett. The oldest active member of the Conference, Brother Robert Smith, left us for the Better Land last February. He left a vacancy below but swelled the hosts above.

Evangelism

Many of our churches have had glorious revivals and many souls have been added to the Kingdom. This, we think, is the greatest achievement of the year, for, after all, if we succeed educationally and financially and fail to bring souls into the Kingdom, we failed after all, for the main business of the Church of Christ is to save men and women. He came to seek and to save those that are lost. We, His vice-regents, must do the same.

Respectfully submitted,

J. P. MORRIS.

WESTERN DISTRICT

Mr. Chairman, Brethren and Friends of the North Carolina Conference:

We are grateful to the Most High that He has permitted us as ministers of the Western District to assemble once more in an annual Conference. We extend courtesy to the former District Superintendent in the person of Brother N. J. Pass. We hail him as a gospel preacher of no mean reputation and an executor of admirable ability. We wish for him the greatest possible success in the ministry.

The Western District feels it owes gratitude to the Board of Bishops for assigning Bishop R. E. Jones to preside at this session of our Conference, who is a member of the same. We gladly welcome him and pledge him our most hearty support and co-operation. He has proven himself to be one among the great bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

We have twenty-three charges in the Western District. These charges comprise 57 Churches. There are a few of these Churches which are not in activity, namely, Beaver Dam, Jefferson, and _____. Some of these Churches are in excellent condition as to structure, but are woefully in debt. The Churches at West Asheville, Forest City, Shelby, Cornelius, and Cherryville are greatly embarrassed with debts; yet these Churches, with their energetic pastors, have made heroic efforts to keep the doors open for worship and their creditors satisfied. The Church at Cornelius is a new Church, erected under the leadership of Brother W. C. Cook. The estimated value of our Churches in this district is_____. This

does not include our valuable Church School, Allen Home.

The Benevolences

We have from the very beginning of the Conference year urged the claims of the Conference. The World Service Collection will be as much, or possibly more, than the preceding year. I have personally advocated the cause of World Service throughout the district to the best of my ability. I have endeavored to impress every congregation with the importance of giving a part of their earnings to this great cause. All the other claims have been stressed upon, most especially the Conference Claimants and Episcopal Funds; and the report of the pastors will indicate that much has been accomplished in the way of the benevolences of the Conference and Church.

Our Church Schools

The schools within the confines of the Conference are Bennett College for Women and Allen Home. These schools have had our most hearty support, as the reports will show. We have not only attempted to increase the good will and interest in the schools with mere words, but we have substantiated them with our cash. I have never seen a finer spirit for Bennett College for Women than exists today throughout the district. As a school, it is blossoming as the rose of Sharon. The young women of note and ambition throughout the country are coming in droves to secure the fragrance of this institution. All hail to President D. D. Jones for his marvelous and wonderful leadership in this great institution.

Our Activities

The group meeting, as we called it, convened at Marion in November of last year. It was a very important and interesting meeting. Many of the pastors did not get there because of snow and ice. But we who did come framed up the book for the Conference year and gave some money for educational causes.

The district meeting at Boone, in April, was inspiring and impressive. We had a great spiritual awakening on this occasion, and the pastors reported over a thousand dollars in cash for World Service. This meeting left a very wholesome impression for Methodism in this section of the country.

The District Convention

The Epworth League and Sunday School Convention was held in Cherryville the first of June. We had a fine group of young men and women who composed the personnel of this Convention. In this Convention great stress was placed upon the duty and responsibility the young people owe to their Church and community; and much interest was evidenced by the young people themselves by way of large attendance and splendid rendition of subjects which had been previously placed in their possession for study and development. The addresses, recitations, and other recitals deserve special mention and commendation in the behalf of our young people for their vigorous activities in the Western District. We extend congratulations to the good people of Cherryville for the manner in which they entertained us at this Convention.

The District Conference convened at Philadelphia, one of the churches of which Brother Pass is pastor. The entertainment was all that anyone could desire. The attendance was large and the spirit of the meeting exceedingly gratifying. We raised all of our quota of educational money for Allen Home and a handsome sum for Bennett College for women. There were several visitors, among whom were President Jones of Bennett College for Women; Dr. R. N. Brooks of Gammon Theological Seminary; Prof. C. W. and Mrs. Perry of Clark University, Atlanta, Ga.; Revs. G. M. Phelps, District Superintendent of the Wilmington District; J. E. Brower of Laurinburg, N. C., and R. I. Abernethy of Hamlet, N. C. They all made inspiring as well as helpful addresses.

The Pastors

In the main, they have done what they could for the Master's Cause. They have labored hard and some under unfavorable conditions, yet they have kept the enemy without the folds of the flock and have been able to make marks of advancement in the work of the Master. We have had a pleasant year, working together co-operatively, socially, in kindness and with generosity throughout the confines of the district. Love, peace, joy, and happiness have seemingly been imbued in the heart of every pastor in this district.

The Retired Ministry

Brother J. C. Addie has been feeble. He lost his home and everything he had by fire. He needs special consideration from the Board of Stewards. Brothers J. J. Blanton and S. B. Cornelius are in normal health and doing what they can in their capacity for the cause of the Master.

In Memoriam

Death with his grim monster visited our rank in February and laid hands upon Brother N. M. Martin, our pastor at Marion. His devotion to us caused a bit of sorrow in our rank. He had begun a brilliant year's work in his new field of labor. He leaves to mourn his loss, a devoted wife and two sons. May this Conference ever remember them in prayer and devotion.

The Final

Finally, Mr. Chairman, I am reminded of that famous Highland chief of the noble house of MacGregor, of Great Britain, who fell, wounded by two balls, at the Battle of Preston Pass. The soldiers, seeing their chief fall, wavered and began to lose hope of victory; but the grand old chieftain, beholding the effect of his disaster, raised himself up on his elbows while the blood gushed in streams from his wounds, and cried aloud, "I am not dead, my children; I am looking at you, to see you do your duty."

The ministers of the Western District, when discouraged, disappointed, and defeat seemingly evident in the struggle, ever have felt the presence of the captain of our salvation, who was wounded for our transgressions, bruised for our iniquity, cry aloud, "I am not dead, my children; I am looking at you, to see you do your duty."

With this assurance of leadership, we have fought the battle and have won the victory. I am

Yours in His Name,
R. W. WINCHESTER.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

G. M. PHELPS, District Superintendent.

Dear Bishop, Fathers, and Brother Ministers of the North Carolina Annual Conference:

I count it a pleasure and privilege that it is mine to make my sixth report as District Superintendent of the Wilmington District. Twelve years ago, the annual Conference was held in this building, from which Conference I received my first appointment, and held, until I was placed on the district. After twelve years of service, the record of which I shall leave to speak for itself, I come back to the same place from which I received my first appointment to receive my third appointment.

The five and a half years that I have been privileged to serve on the Wilmington District, I trust, have meant as much to the people I have served as they have to me.

Throughout the Wilmington District I have found a people who are appreciative of service rendered and willing at all times to co-operate in Kingdom building. Some of the greatest sacrifices I have ever seen made have been made on the Wilmington District by its true and faithful workers. Permit me to mention just one other feature which has meant as much or more to the success of the district. I refer to the fine spirit of devotion to their task to the untiring and unselfish service which has been rendered by practically every pastor who has served on the district. From time to time, we may have differed in method, but in objective we have always been one. Because of the co-operation between pastors and laymen during the past five years, there has been an increase of twenty per cent in ministerial support, and benevolent giving. During the past two years there has been a great deal of moving on the part of the members, and yet we have had a decided increase in membership.

For th past two years we have not been able to reach our objective by far, and yet I believe that the efforts have been greater than any other year. This year we have been somewhat handicapped because of sickness and death in our ranks. The Rev. A. G. Jenkins, who was the tireless and faithful pastor of this Church, became sick very early in the spring. From this illness he did not rally, and death claimed him the last of August. Words are inadequate to express his love, devotion, and interest in every phase of church life.

Building

We have been thrown back in our building program because of financial contributions, and yet some of our pastors have pushed

ahead, doing almost the impossible. The Rev. J. C. Rush, after four years of successful service at Maxton, has begun the reconstruction of the old St. George Church, which bids fair of becoming one of the most beautiful structures in that section of the county.

Rev. W. E. Hairston, serving his first year at Lumberton, has done a great work in putting the parsonage in first-class shape.

Rev. J. B. Meekins, pastor at Fayetteville and Red Springs, has been successful in planting our church again in Fayetteville. Upon going there at the close of the Conference last year, he found around twenty-five members worshiping in a dwelling house, which had been made possible through the faithful service of Brother Lloyd McQueen. With this handful of members, in less than twelve months, on the same spot secured and paid for by Brother McQueen, Rev. Brother Meekins has built a nice church, to the cost of $1,500, and has more than doubled the membership.

Revs. R. C. Little and O. J. Covington are to be commended for the excellent work which has been done at Pembroke and Hickory Bend.

Work Among the Young People

Much of our time has been given over to the young people's work, and we are glad to report that a more heartier response has not come from any source than from this one. In practically every church, school and Epworth League where the young people have been given a chance to co-operate without abuse and criticism, there has been but little trouble in getting them to fall in line with Kingdom building.

In this report, as in the others which we have made for the past four years, we must give credit to the Sunday School and Epworth League Institute, for the part it has played in helping many of the older ones to better understand the young people, also bring it to bear upon the young people, that it is through Christian living that they are able to render the highest type of service in any course they might pursue.

May long live, Dr. F. H. Butler and Dr. H. R. Howard that they might continue this all-important work among the young people.

District Conference

We have made a desperate effort to get out of the old rut in conducting our District Conference. We have used this opportunity to interchange ideas concerning matters that are vital in the life of the Church. One of the subjects discussed last District Conference was the making of the services more attractive. We found that the discussion of such topics not only gave more of us an opportunity to take part in the work of the Conference, but the Conference was more greatly enjoyed by those concerned. We are not satisfied, though, to stop at this. Our hope and prayer is that the day will soon come when we can have one or more special workers visit our Conference and give as much time as possible to the less privileged pastors.

Quarterly Conference

This has given me as much concern as anything else since I have been on the District. When I first reached the District I received several compliments about some of the new ideas that I had brought to the District, but I soon found that these were not sufficient to hold the interest of the quarter. It goes without saying that the pastor is the key to the situation. Where there is a pastor who is wiser than the lawmaking body of our Church and see the District Superintendent as a useless object, moving around every three months to get what he can, irrespective to anybody else, or whereever there is a pastor, saint though he may be, and yet hasn't the ability, nor push to work up a quarterly Conference, the Conference is almost a complete failure. I wish there was some way that some of our most able men could be made to see that as long as they intend to preach in the M. E. Church, it would be better for all concerned to adhere to its program.

Evangelism

The work of Evangelism is greatly hampered, because of the various ideas to to how it is to be done. To add to this difficulty most of us are not able to get our ideas across when given a chance. The people cling to the old way, and yet are not willing to help work it. A few of them are becoming to believe that there is an easier and better way, but rightfully hold to what they have until someone came along able to work another. As pastors, some of us are anxious for an old-time revival and thus we are puzzled to find someone to conduct it. In searching for such a person, we usually become discouraged and pick up most anybody. We start out not expecting to do anything and the people know we are not, and therefore most of them stay at home. The old evangelist is not to return soon. The responsibility has come at last to the door of every pastor to say that we can't do it is to acknowledge that we have chosen the wrong profession. We can do it. We must do it. It is ours to seize the opportunity and, like the disciples of old, add daily to the Kingdom of God.

WINSTON DISTRICT

J. A. BAXTER, District Superintendent.

Dear Bishop and Brethren:

"Sanctified by God the Father and preserved by Jesus Christ and called: To you be multiplied, mercy and peace and love." By your suffrage I am permitted to make my sixth report.

The previous reports have been made under conditions that were a bit tinged with misgivings, not knowing always what the future would bring forth; but today it's different. I'm neither a prophet nor a prophet's son, but I have a sneaking suspicion that you have your mind fully made up to do something to me you have not done before.

Therefore at the seat of this conference I am offering my resignation and point blankly refuse to serve as District Superintendent for the next two years.

This year, Bishop and Brethren, has been the most interesting year—interesting to the ministers to know who you are going to appoint in place of the superintendent you are going to take down and the one that has resigned; interesting to me because of the curiosity that lurks in my mind as to what the harvest will be to me.

This has also been the saddest year. This year we were forced to witness the passing of eight of our comrades who responded to the call of taps; gently they dropped the curtains of their tents and waved us a long goodnight, while we toil and fight on. Yet we eagerly look forward to the time when reveille shall sound and we shall meet on God's eternal camp-ground and to study war no more. Yet God has been good to us, for out of the number smitten by disease, He has given back to us three of our brethren who are now among us and we are glad.

This has been the most trying year, in that it has taxed us to the utmost to make optimism prevail. The previous years have had their hours of vexatious problems, sleepless nights and days of anguish, but this year has been exceptional. It has been no easy task to tell men times will be better when the cloud of unemployment hung like a pall over the nation, and now when the farmer comes to the market with his produce, wrung as it were from the relentless jaws of devastating drought, there given in return for his year's labor not enough to pay his fertilizer bill, much less pay for other goods consumed; disappointed, dejected, despairing, he looks to the Church as much as to say, "Where is the God you preach about and pray to? It has been our task to declare, "God is still in the heavens and does all things well." He still brings the seemingly impossible to pass. He still makes dry land appear in the midst of the sea. He builds national highways in the pathless deserts. In a dry and thirsty land he brings water from the rock and feeds his people on angel-food, Jehovah is His name. Out of this crisis the Winston District has emerged and is here to report, none the worse because of the ordeal through which we have come. Those who have gathered little have none to spare and those that have gathered much have none to scatter. None of us has our wants supplied, but are thankful for some of our needs. Many of our men have not had three months' work out of twelve; the women have been the mainstay of the family and the church, and out of their meager earnings they have given to the church.

In my sojourn among the brethren this year I have presented every cause, and in no uncertain sound I have attempted to lay upon the heart of each pastor and his officers and the membership at large the tremendous needs of the Church and the necessity of each man, woman and child assuming a reasonable share of the responsibility and each fulfilling their obligation. Some have done what they could

and some have not done at all, not because of indifference but because they couldn't.

As I surrender the District, Bishop, I am abashed that I've not done better. I did not reach my ideal. It is yet to be sought after. This as a legacy I pass on to my successor. However, I feel some progress has been made. In order that there be no comparison with my predecessor—for comparisons are odious—I have made a check-up for the past four years and find there has been a steady gain in membership, both in Church and Sunday School. There has been a gain financially until this Conference year now closing. Our struggle now is to hold at least to the margin of the previous year. Five new parsonages have been built and one new site purchased for a prospective parsonage. Six new churches built, four remodeled, two tracts of land donated for erecting new churches. One of these churches is the last word in architecture as far as the North Carolina Conference is concerned. If you have any misgivings, we extend you a cordial invitation to visit St. Mark's of High Point. These facts mentioned note some temporal gains. If these were all, I would consider very little had been accomplished. My highest aim has been to build a confidence among the brethren that would have them see and feel that the District Superintendent is not an ecclesiastical spy but a brother minister appointed to help the brethren in their varied fields do more effective work in carrying out the program of the general Church. If I have had any success in this particular I feel my labor has not been in vain.

As I give over the District into your hands, Bishop, soon to be entrusted to the hands of another, there are no recommendations attached. I am leaving behind humble homes and faithful souls; big hearts and small ones. There is the good, bad and indifferent, all waiting for the touch of sympathy. If administered wisely, a response will be given that will be gratifying. I leave behind a ministry that awaits a leadership that is sane and fraught with brotherliness. If given, there will be a following and adherence of which you need not be ashamed. Give the best you have and the best will come back to you.

Bishop, if anything has been accomplished worthy of note in my six-year tenure on the District, there is no credit due me. It has been made possible by the loyalty of my brother ministers and their faithful flocks. I wish to thank them for every kindness shown. If anything else has been shown other than kindness, I take it as an error of the head and not the heart. I take with me to my new field of labor the choicest memoirs plucked from the gardens of your affections, resplendent with love, friendship and truth. These shall make my yesterdays dreams of joy and my tomorrows visions of hope.

B—Resolutions

B-1 — RESOLUTION, BENNETT COLLEGE

Resolved, First, That the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church pledge herself to raise, within a period of three years, $25,000.00 for the special endowment fund for Bennett College for Women;

Second, That the campaign be begun for these funds following Easter, 1931.

Third, That the details of the method of securing pledges and collection of same be left in the hands of a committee of ministers and laymen, assisted by a representative from the Board of Education;

Fourth, That the District Superintendents and the President of Bennett College for Women be requested to serve on this committee.

Fifth, That the North Carolina Conference request the Central Committee of the Board of Education and A. L. Howith as director of the general movement to co-operate with us in every way possible in raising the fund.

(Signed)

R. T. WEATHERBY,
J. P. MORRIS
G. M. PHELPS,
R. W. WINCHESTER
R. G. MORRIS.

B-2—SCHOOL OF METHODS

The School of Methods for Town and Village Pastors, which is fostered by the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension and the Julius Rosenwald Fund, has been a blessing to us, in that it has helped us to face up to some of the most difficult and perplexing problems confronting the ministers.

1. Be it Resolved, That we hereby express our appreciation to these agencies and ask them to continue this type of work.

2. Be it Resolved, That we accept the scholarships granted this year and pledge ourselves to bring fifty men to the school.

3. That we request the District Superintendents to preempt the period of July 21-31 in all of the Districts and Quarterly Conferences, so that we may attend the school.

R. G. MORRIS.

B-3—SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON SUMMER SCHOOLS

Recognizing the importance of the Institute and Summer School in religion and education today, and interested in keeping this annual Conference in the forefront, its rightful place in these matters, Resolved, That we herein request the Bishop and Cabinet to add to the list of standing committees a Committee on Summer Schools, whose duty it shall be to fix the time and place of Summer Schools and arrange programs and schedules for the same.

(Signed)

COMMITTEE ON MINISTERIAL TRAINING.
R. N. BROOKS.

B-4—ENLARGED BOARD OF MINISTERIAL TRAINING

In view of the increased responsibility placed upon the Board of Ministerial Training incident to the demands which the Church makes upon its supply pastors, in reference to the Course of Study, be it

Resolved, that we importunately urge the Bishop and Cabinet to increase the Board of Ministerial Training from eleven, as at present, to fifteen. (Signed)

BOARD OF MINISTERIAL TRAINING.

B-5—SUMMER SCHOOLS

In order to maintain the high standard of work which the Church through its Commission on Courses of Study has set for Supplies and Undergraduates, we are asking this Conference to concur in the following resolutions:

1. That we provide, within the confines of our Conference territory, a Summer School for Ministerial Training; that we make it the place for the mid-year examinations and that our undergraduates and supplies be required to attend its sessions.

2. That when dates have been fixed by the Committee on Summer School the District Superintendents be urged to preempt said dates so as to facilitate attendance at the Summer School.

B-6 — CHARLOTTE MISSION CHURCH

Whereas, the Charlotte Mission Church is on the eve of being lost because of the financial condition, be it

Resolved, That this Conference instruct the Board of Trustees of this Conference to look after this matter at once, with power to act and report the same to the next Annual Conference, which convenes in High Point, N. C.

R. W. WINCHESTER,
P. J. COOK,
W. B. SCALES,
S. F. B. PEACE,
S. A. PEELER.

B-7 — ELISHA HOWARD PROPERTY

The Board of Trustees of the North Carolina Conference recommends to this Conference, now in annual session, the sale of the Elisha Howard property, located in Asheboro, N. C., to his heirs, namely, Bettie Howard Hill and Amy Howard Davis, for a consideration of $1,000.

R W. WINCHESTER,
S. A. PEELER,
H. L. ASHE, Committee.

B-8 — ALLEN HIGH SCHOOL

Whereas, the North Carolina Conference notes with appreciation the work that Allen Home and High School, of Asheville, N. C., has done and is doing for the uplift of Negro girls within the confines of our Conference,

Resolved, that we pledge to the School our continued moral support, and reaffirm our pledge of $1,000 to be paid in on the D. Brooks Memorial Laundry Fund, as of our pledge of some years past.

G. H. CALDWELL,
J. A. BAXTER,
J. P. MORRIS.

C—Complimentary Resolutions

C-1—BISHOP CLEMENT

Whereas, we the members and friends of the North Carolina Conference, have been most highly favored with the presence of one of the most distinguished Bishops of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, in the person of Bishop George C. Clement, and

Whereas, the splendid address he delivered which was spiced with masterly eloquence, timely advice, and full of important information, be it

Resolved, That we extend to Bishop Clement as an indication of our appreciation a rising vote of thanks.

R. W. WINCHESTER.

C-2—REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, Bishop Robert E. Jones, D.D., LL.D., has presided over the deliberations of this Conference with exceptional ability, obvious ease, grace and dignity, giving painstaking, accurate and detailed attention to the great program of the Church; and

Whereas, in the midst of these trying and exacting duties, he has at all times remained sweet in spirit, patient, courteous, kind, Christlike, and brotherly, hearing the wailings of his comrades, the brethren of his Conference, and with sympathetic heart and fervent affection doing whatever he could to assist the needy and alleviate distress, sorrow and suffering; and

Whereas, his presidency has measured up to the most exalted standards of an ideal General Superintendent of the great Church; and

Whereas, we have derived instruction, inspiration from his devotion hour, songs and lectures; and

Whereas, in his rulings he has been scrupulously exact, though fair and impartial; be it

Resolved, That we sincerely thank him and are delighted with his presidency of this Conference; that throughout the coming year our prayers shall follow him, to the end that the blessings of God our Father may be richly poured out upon this, our beloved Bishop, and his family. We are not unmindful of the wonderful service he is now rendering in behalf of an oppressed group of people in this country, and cannot help rejoicing in the fact that God has brought him to this great responsibility, trust and honor, "for such a time as this."

Resolved, that we earnestly thank the Board of Bishops for having assigned our most distinguished and beloved son of the North Carolina Conference to preside over this session of our Conference.

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Whereas, Bishop Keeney of the Atlanta Area, representing the General Conferenc Committee on Evanglism, has thrilled us with a mightier passion for soul-winning and for rescuing the perishing, be it

Resolved, That for this service of inestimable worth we sincerely thank this great man of God, and all who had to do with his coming to us.

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Whereas, Miss Blanche Hays, representing Simpson Memorial M. E. Church, in which our sessions are held; Dr. Sasson, representing the Ministerial Alliance of this city; His Honor, the Mayor of the City of Charlotte, have extended such cordial, hearty and felicitous welcomes to the city and the homes of its people, be it

Resolved, That we accept gratefully the courtesies extended us, with sincere thanks.

Whereas, the acting pastor, Dr. G. M. Phelps; the loyal members of his Church; members and friends of other denominations have labored together, sparing no pains nor expense to make our stay among them one of real comfort, happiness, and pleasure, be it

Resolved, that we thank them sincerely for the same and pray for them, and upon them the blessings of God in a mighty way.

Whereas, Dr. Howeth; Dr. Davage, President of Clark University; Dr. R. N. Brooks, Professor of Religious History, Gammon Theological Seminary; Professor McAlister, Manager of the Christian Advocate, Southwestern Edition; Dr. R. G. Morris, of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension; Dr. A. R. Howard, of the Board of Prohibition, Temperance and Public Morals; Dr. David D. Jones, President of Bennett College for Women; Professor Perry, of Clark University, have presented the causes they respectively have presented in such an able and thoroughly instructive way that we have received helpful information, which has inspired and urged us to greater effort in standing by these great causes, be it

Resolved, that we thank each of them.

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Whereas, Bishop George C. Clement, D.D., LL.D., of the African M. E. Zion Church, honored this Conference with his presence, delivering an address potent in thought, matchless in oratory, and sublime in eloquence,

Resolved, That we thank him and rejoice that this union of two outstanding Bishops representing two great bodies of Methodists, are ominous of a pleasing change of heart and a working together to save the world for God and the Christ.

We further thank President H. L. McRoary, of Johnson C. Smith University, for his visit to our Conference, the great and instructive address he delivered, and for the invitation so cordially extended us to hold any of our meetings and business session in the University's new Church.

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We sincerely thank the Sexton for the taxing service she has rendered.

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Whereas, the Quartette and the Glee Club, of Bennett College for Women, gave us musical renditions and recitations of such remarkable art and merit, delightfully entertaining to us, be it

Resolved, That we thank them and also President Jones for the rare treat their program afforded us.

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Whereas, our District Superintendents—Dr. J. P. Morris, J. A. Baxter, J. M. Phelps, and R. W. Winchester—have wrought so nobly in their efforts to carry out the program of the Church, and have by the grace of God continued blameless in life and character, faultless in doctrine and administration,

Resolved, That we thank them, and pray God His hand may ever guide them and His blessings be ever upon them.

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Whereas, the Statistician, Rev. P. I. Wells, and his assistants: the Treasurer, Rev. J. E. Brower, and his assistants; the Secretary, Rev. G. H. Caldwell, and his assistants, have been tireless and efficient in the discharge of their irksome duties, which they have performed so faithfully and well, be it

Resolved, That we sincerely thank them.

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Recognizing the thrilling, pleasing and magnificent service the Organist, Mrs. Cora Elizabeth Hunter, has rendered in playing for

the Conference, and to the members of the local Choir, we thank them .

Resolved, That we thank each visitor who has been introduced to the Conference, for bringing greetings and leaving helpful and encouraging words.

Resolved, That in view of the perfectly wonderful work being done for the higher education of women at Bennett College for Women, your Committee feels constrained to make these words of commendation, and pledge to President Jones our greatest co-operation and support.

Resolved, also, that we heartily commend and endorse the excellent work being done for the education of girls in less than college grades.

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With our heads bowed in sorrow, in consequence of the passing into the glorious beyond of our fallen comrades, we rejoice in the hope that we shall meet again in that land where sorrow comes not, and death is unknown.

Resolved, That our hearts go out in sympathy and prayer for the grief-stricken widows and fatherless children, and commend them to the gracious favor of Almighty God.

Respectfully submitted,

D. H. KEARSE,
J. E. BROWER,
C. L. GIDNEY,
ROBERT McRAY,
W. E. HAIRSTON.

D—Communications

D-1—FROM ALLEN HOME SCHOOL

The Allen Home faculty and students send cordial greetings to the North Carolina Conference assembled in Charlotte, N. C.

May the meeting be one of great blessing which shall long be remembered because of the presence of the Holy Spirit among you.

We shall "not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of His will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding; that ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God." Col. 1:9, 10.

ALLEN HOME, Asheville, N. C.
LOUISA A. BELL, Superintendent.

D-2—FROM ALLAN MACROSSIE

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HR New York, N. Y.

Rev. G. H. Caldwell, D.D., Secretary, North Carolina Methodist Episcopal Conference, care Rev. A. G. Jenkins, D.D., Charlotte, N. C.

Heartiest greetings to Bishop Jones, Chairman Brooks, instructors, men in courses of study, and members of the Conference, the students in courses of study are everywhere manifesting a serious purpose, fine enthusiasm, and spiritual passion for the best in our ministry. Congratulations to the graduating class.

ALLAN MACROSSIE.

D-3—FROM BENNETT COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

A resolution adopted by the students, faculty, alumni, and friends of Bennett College, assembled in the chapel, Tuesday, November 4, 1930, on the occasion of the dedication of the Wilbur Steele Hall.

Whereas, The students, faculty, alumni, and friends of Bennett College for Women recognize that it was a sacrifice of no little import on the part of the alumni, students, friends, and founders of Bennett College to give over to the new institution its physical plant and certain material things pertaining thereto, and, above all, a certain very definite tradition of noble service to the cause of Negro advancement; and

Whereas, The faculty, students, alumni, and friends of Bennett College for Women feel that there should be no break between this great tradition and the trends that will actuate and motivate the life of the new institution lately sprung from the old; and

Whereas, There is a genuine feeling of gratitude for the alumni and friends of Bennett for this noble sacrifice;

Whereas, There is a definite desire on the part of all who are interested and concerned in the development of the new Bennett, the Bennett College for Women, for all who are interested and concerned in the maintenance and perpetuation of Bennett College, in order that the latter might know the extent of this sincere feeling: be it therefore

Resolved, That we of the new Bennett College for Women pledge our lives and our abilities and our resources both material and spiritual to the honoring and perpetuation of these great principles long since enunciated by the sons and daughters who toiled that Bennett College might stand as a citadel on the frontier of the cultural advance of the American Negro; and be it further

Resolved, That we put before our friends, new and old, the needs of our institution, Bennett College for Women, asking not that we be given the material means by which we might strive to make our college a model of some existing institution of learning, reaching no higher than to imitate blindly such institutions in their plans and programs, but that we at Bennett College be given the means by which we might experiment in the great field of education and build uniquely an institution dedicated to the advancement of the womanhood of the Negro race in America. Be it further

Resolved, That we put before our friends the inescapable facts that in this, our present era, science, too, must be served, and a certain amount of material prosperity must be assured the institution in order to preserve existing standards of scholarship and of modern civilization. Therefore, be it

Concluded, That we, the faculty, students, and alumni of Bennett College for Women go on record with these sentiments and that a copy of these be spread before the North Carolina Conference and entered into the columns of the denominational journals throughout the country.

D-4 — THE NEW CHARLOTTE SANATORIUM

Charlotte, N. C.

Nov. 4th, 1930.

To the Members of the North Carolina Annual Conference:

Brethren: I desire to tender you my heartfelt thanks for your wonderfully kind, generous, and thoughtful evidence of your brotherly kindness and sympathy in my present affliction, which makes it impossible for me to attend this session of your Conference. Coming in the manner that it does, from those who have never known me and whom I never saw, makes it the more deeply appreciated. May God continue to bless the North Carolina Conference.

Yours most sincerely,

JOHN VENN.

E—Financial Reports

E-1—REPORT OF SECRETARY-TREASURER OF THE PUBLISHING COMMITTEE FOR YEAR 1929-1930.

Collections

Forwarded (a) Cash	$ 5.10
(b) Note	35.00
Greensboro District	53.75
Laurinburg District	60.75
Western District	52.70
Winston District	67.00
B. C. for advertisement	25.00
A. H. for advertisement	10.00
Total	$309.30

Disbursements

Printing of Minutes, 1,200	$228.50
To express for shipping	6.83
To uncollected note	35.00
To uncollected checks	16.50
To telegrams and stationery	1.25
To typist, etc.	5.00
To balance on hand	16.12
Total	$309.30

Liabilities

Due for publishing Minutes, 1927-1928	85.30

Assets

A note on Minute Fund	35.00
Uncollected checks	16.50
Total	$ 51.50

E-2—REPORT OF TRUSTEES, CONFERENCE YEAR 1929-1930

Receipts

Oct. 28, 1929—Forwarded		$ 636.00
Dec. 5, 1929—C. J. Yelton		300.00
Dec. 7, 1929—R. W. Winchester		111.00
Jan. 10, 1930—C. B. McBrayer		150.00
Jan. 15, 1930—N. J. Pass		50.25
Nov. 8, 1930—Hamlet Property		52.00
Nov. 8, 1930—Mocksville Estate		50.00
Nov. 8, 1930—Howard Estate		48.00
Nov. 8, 1930—Interest		12.00
Notes for Collection:		
Wilmington	$210.00	
C. J. Yelton	516.67	
S. J. Haden	120.00	
Robert Smith	116.00	
A H. Newsome	15.00	
North Carolina Conference	565.00	
Trinity Church	262.40	1,805.07
Total		$3,214.32

Disbursements

Oct. 28, 1929—Loan, North Carolina Conference	$ 676.00
Nov. 4, 1929—Paid Fidelity Bonding Co.	5.00
Dec. 7, 1929—Traveling expenses of Peeler, Winchester, Phelps, to Wilmington and return	20.70
Dec. 10, 1929—O. E. Todd, Receiver	262.40
Nov. 8, 1930—Funeral expenses of Mrs. Howard	48.00
Nov. 8, 1930—Charlotte Mission	50.00
Nov. 8, 1930—Uncollected notes	1,805.07
Nov. 8, 1930—On hand	347.15
Total	$3,214.32

E-3—NORTH CAROLINA SELF-DENIAL CAMPAIGN

Nov. 7, 1929 - Nov. 4, 1930, for Bennett College for Women

Receipts

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

J. P. MORRIS, DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

Brown Summit	Rev. T. J. Easley	$ 9.50
Greensboro:		
East	Rev. J. W. Shuford	7.00
High Street	Rev. N. M. Black	15.29
Extension	Rev J. W. Joyce, Supply	5.00
St. Matthews	Rev. R. T. Weatherby	69.00
South	Rev. A. C. McGowans	30.00
Northwest	Rev. N. S. Shambourger	11.64
Southeast	Rev. A. Smitherman, Supply	5.00
Caswell	Rev. J. H. Leadville	3.00
Empire	Rev. B. C. Littlejohn, Supply	5.00
Leaksville	Rev. J. W. Simpson	15.00
Newport News	Rev. Marshall McCallum	10.50
Oxford	Rev. J. W. Hall	5.00
Ramseur	Rev. Henry Davis	5.00
Randleman	Rev. E. H. McArthur	5.00
Reidsville	Rev. W. T. Lomax	20.00
West Raleigh	Rev S.. A. Peeler	5.00
		$225.93

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

G. M. PHELPS, DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

Beauty Spot and New Zion	Rev. F. J. Lee	$ 5.00
Bowmore and Mt. Zion	Rev. D. C. Skeen	5.00
Charlotte	Rev. A. G. Jenkins	3.00
Charlotte Mission	Rev S. J. Headen	5.00
Hamlet, South	Rev. A. S. Abernethy	10.00
Laurinburg and Cool Springs	Rev. J. E. Brower	50.00
Lumberton	Rev. W. E. Hairston	13.00
Maxton and Piney Grove	Rev. J. C. Rush	30.00
Red Springs Circuit	Rev. J. B. Meekins	30.00
Rockingham and Philadelphia	Rev. C. L. Gidney	2.00
Rowland and Salem	Rev. F. D. Caldwell	30.00
Sanford Circuit	Rev. E L. Fletcher, Supply	8.00
St. Peter's	Rev. Henry McNair, Supply	3.00
Total		$194.00

WESTERN DISTRICT

R. W. WINCHESTER, DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

Asheville	Rev. G. H. Caldwell	$ 33.75
Bessemer City & Kings Mountain	Rev. A. E. Robinson	5.00
Boone	Rev. S. E. Dunham, Supply	3.00
Forest City	Rev. G. W. Patterson	5.00
Gastonia	Rev. H. C. Gannaway	25.00
Lawndale and Brooks	Rev. N. J Pass	15.00
Lenoir	Rev. R. B. Rhyne	17.00
Lincolnton, Mt. Holly, Stanley	Rev. D. H. Kearse	1.00
Lowesville, McPeeler, St. James	Rev. E. M. McLeod	3.00
Marion	Rev. N. M. Martin	4.00
Mooresville and Mayhew	Rev. A. M. Erwin	5.00
Newton and Conover	Rev. B. L. Burge	14.00
Old Fort	Rev. E. I. S. Swann	1.00
Sherrill's Ford and Ebenezer	Rev. William Chavis	12.00
Statesville and Philadelphia	Rev. A. H Newsome	10.00
Waynesville	Rev. J. M. Harris	7.00
	Rev. J. A. Cherry	10.00
	Rev. J. J. Blanton	5.00
Total		$175.00

WINSTON DISTRICT

J. A. BAXTER, DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

Advance	Rev. T. C. Frazier	$ 5.00
Asheboro	Rev. P. F. Johnson	30.00
Elkin	Rev. R. F McCallum	5.00
High Point:		
Brooks Memorial	Rev. W. C. Scarborough	10.00
St. Mark	Rev. H. L. Ashe	10.00
Kernesville	Rev. B. F. Thomas	3.00
Lexington	Rev. S. F. B. Peace	10.00
Madison (W.H.M. Society)	Rev. W. B. Scales	15.16
Mt. Airy	Rev. W. R. Zeigler	5.00
Penn Hook	Rev. D. E. Staton	2.00
Rural Hall	Rev. Henry Jones	6.00
Thomasville, East	Rev. M. C. Laughlin	25.00
Winston-Salem:		
Mt. Pleasant	Rev. Robert McRae	5.00
St. Andrews	Rev. P. J. Cook	20.00
St. Paul	Rev. W. M. Wells	107.00
Total		$258.16

Summary

Wilmington District	$ 194.00	
Winston District	258.16	
Western District	175.75	
Greensboro District	225.93	
		$ 853.94
Local friends faculty and students		1,115.38
Total		$1,969.32

F—Report of Board of Stewards

For the Conference Year Ending November 5, 1930.

Part 1. Financial

I. Operating Statement:

Receipts

Balance on hand from last year	$ 16.00
For Annuity Distribution:	
Book Concern Dividend	999.06
Chartered Fund Dividend	60.00
Part of Support from Pastoral Charges	776.00
Income from Conference Investments	12.12
Income from Preachers' Aid Society	
Board of Pensions and Relief	13.00
For Necessitous Distribution:	
Board of Pensions and Relief Dividend	471.00
Part of Support Paid by the Churches	
Total	$2,347.18

Disbursements

On Basis of Service:	
To Preachers	$ 910.00
To Widows	742.00
To Children	224.00
On Basis of Special Need:	
To Preachers	245.00
To Widows	220.00
To Children	
Expenses of Board of Stewards	6.18
Total	$2,347.18

II. Endowment and Resources—Combined Statement. (No entries.)

III. Apportionment Next Year:

(a) Total number of years, 940, multiplied by $11.00; Annuity Claims	$10,340.00
(b) Total deductible Income, not including receipts from charges	1,562.00
(c) Amount fixed by Annual Conference for Annuity Claims this year	8,778.00
(d) Amount fixed by Conference action this year for Necessitous Cases	450.00
(e) Total to be apportioned by the Conference Stewards;; items (c) and (d)	9,228.00

N. B.: No statement of persons through whom the checks were sent, was given the Secretary for publication.

STATEMENT OF DISTRIBUTION TO RETIRED MINISTERS

Name	Years Counted	Annuity	Special Aid	Total	Paid 1st Quarter
Blanton, J. J.	26	52	10	62	$15.50
Brooks, D.*	34	68	10	78	19.50
Bullocks, M. J.*	37	74	10	84	21.00
Byers G. W.	48	96	10	106	26.50
Frederick, H. O.	21	42	10	52	13.00
Garrett, G. H.	20	40	30	70	17.50
Hairston, J. D.*	16	32	10	42	10.50
McNair, J. R.*	17	34	10	44	11.00

McQueen, H. B.*	20	40	10	50	12.50
McRae, D.*	35	70	10	80	20.00
Pope, W. W.	37	74	30	104	26.00
Thomas, L. W.*	12	24	10	34	8.50
Morehead, J. W.*	46	92	30	122	30.50
Mundy, M.*	39	78	10	88	22.00
Addie, J. C.	32	64	35	99	24.75
Cornelius, S. B.	15	30	10	40	10.00
Total	455	910			

STATEMENT OF DISTRIBUTION TO WIDOWS

Name	Years on ¾ Basis	Annuity	Spec'l Aid	Total	Paid 1st Quarter
Blaylock, Mrs. G. W.	18	36		36	$36.00
Boss, Mrs. F. L.*	9	18		18	18.00
Davis, Mrs. J. W.	9	18		18	18.00
Ellison, Mrs. W.	17	34		34	34.00
Fink, Mrs. H.*	4	8	30	38	38.00
Gibson, Mrs. S. A.*	16	32		32	32.00
Harshaw, Mrs. C.	15	30	30	60	15.00
Hayes, Mrs. W. B.*	25	50		50	12.50
Hunter, Mrs. J. H.*	12	24		24	24.50
Hill, Mrs. G. F.	25	50	20	70	17.50
McDaniel, Mrs. E.*	10	20		20	20.00
McDonald, Mrs. S.*	13	26		26	26.00
Prince, Mrs. J. C.	6	12		12	12.00
Jones, Mrs. M. M.*	24	48		48	48.00
Robins, Mrs. J. C.*	17	34		34	34.00
Laughlin, Mrs. J. A.*	16	32	30	62	15.50
Pryor, Mrs. W. A.*	19	38		38	38.00
Isham, Mrs. H. J.	6	12		12	12.00
McMaster, Mrs. A. W.*	24	48		48	48.00
McDonald, Mrs. A. D.	6	12		12	12.00
Murphy, Mrs. C.*					
Smith, Mrs. L. A. C.	25	50	55	105	26.25
Jenkins, Mrs. A. G.	18	36	55	91	22.10
Howard, Mrs. C. E.	7	14		14	14.00
Martin, Mrs. N. M.	12	24		24	24.00
Petty, Mrs. E. D.	18	36		36	36.00
Total	371	742			

STATEMENT OF DISTRIBUTION TO CHILDREN

Name of Mother or Guardian	Name of Child	Age of Child Last Birthday	Years on ¼ Basis	Annuity	Total	Paid First Quarter
McDonald, Mrs. Jennie*	McDonald, Wert	15	4	8		$8.00
Jones, Mrs. Parilee*	Jones, B. O.	15	9	18		18.00
Laughlin, Mrs. Emma*	Laughlin, Winona (At school)	17	6	12		12.00
Isham, Mrs. J. H.	Isham, Emma	6	2	4		4.00
McDonald, Mrs. A. S.*	McDonald—					
	(Sherrill	7	3	6		
	(William	5	3	6	18.00	18.00
	(Sandy	3	3	6		

Murphy, Mrs. Corinne*	Murphy—					
	(J. D., Jr.	10	8	16	.....	
	(Mary	2	8	16	.....	
	(Vera	6	8	16	80.00	20.00
	(Vinson	8	8	16	.....	
	(Cleo	5	8	16	.....	
McMaster, Mrs. Francis	McMaster—					
	(Martha	13	8	16	.....	
	(Lorene	11	8	16	48.00	48.00
	(Lula	9	8	16	.....	
Howard, Mrs. C. E.	Howard—					
	(Inez	15	4	8	.....	
	E. Gather	9	5	10	.....	
	Dorothy	7	4	8	.....	
	Ella Rose	5	5	10	36.00	36.00
Total		112	224			

PART 2. STATISTICAL

I. Annuity Rate—

Minimum Annuity Rate	$11.00
Rate fixed by by Annual Conference	11.00
Annuity Rate paid last year	2.08
Annuity Rate paid this year	2.00
Change in Rate paid	.08

III. Vital Statistics—

(a) Number of Retired Ministers	16
(b) Number of Widows	25
(c) Number of Dependent Children	19
(d) Total number of Claimants	60

IV. Years of Service—

	Years
(a) Retired Ministers	455
(b) Widows (three-fourths basis)	371
(c) Children (one-fourth basis)	112
(d) Years of Claimants' claims relinquished	.....
(e) Total years claimed	938
(f) Total last year	938

LIST OF OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE STEWARDS

President—A. H. Newsome, Statesville, N. C.
Secretary—R. G. Morris, 2111 East 3rd St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Treasurer—S. F. B. Peace, Macon and Thomas Sts., Greensboro, N. C.

CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY

I certify that the above Financial and Statistical Report, together with the supporting data on Forms 5, 6 and 7 accompanying, has been carefully prepared and compared.

R. G. MORRIS, Secretary.

VII.

Conefrence Directory and Mailing List

RETIRED ELDERS

Addie, J. C. ..... Hickory
Blanton, J. J. ..... Lowesville

Brooks, Daniel	High Point
Bullock, M. J.	Greensboro
Byers, G. W.	Greensboro
Cornelius, S. B.	Old Fort
Frederick, H. O.	Monroe
Garrett, J. H.	Reidsville
Hairston, J. D.	Goldsboro
McNair, J. R.	Red Springs
McQueen, A. B.	Jonesboro
McRae, Dorsey	Thomasville
Morehead, G. W.	High Point
Munday, Marcus	Maxton
Pope, W. W.	Winston-Salem
Thomas, L. W.	Greensboro

EFFECTIVE ELDERS

Abernethy, Franklin S.	Newport News, Va.
Abernethy, R. S.	305 S. Graham St., Charlotte
Ashe, H. L.	735 E. Washington St., High Point
Baxter, James A.	P. O. Box 6, Winston-Salem
Bethea, R. D.	413 High Street, Greensboro
Black, N. M.	1260 Waughton Street, Winston-Salem
Brooks, Robert N	Gammon Seminary, Atlanta, Ga.
Brower, J. E.	Asheboro
Burge, B. Latta	Newton
Caldwell, F. D.	Asheboro
Caldwell, G. H.	418 Bizzell Street, Laurinburg
Chavis, William	Sherrill's Ford
Cherry, J. A.	Hickory
Cook P. J.	State College Station, Raleigh
Davis, H. A.	Fairview Street, High Point
Dillard, J. R.	Catawba
Erwin, A. M.	Moresville
Foley, G. T.	Route 2, Box 41, Greensboro
Foy, John H.	Randlemann
Frazier, T. C.	Marion
Gannaway, H. C.	North York Street, Gastonia
Gidney, Calvin L.	Mt. Airy
Gleaves, B. F.	Box 221, Shelby
Hairston, W. E.	Lumberton
Hall, J. W.	P. O. Box 332, Oxford
Harris, J. M.	81 Argyle Lane, West Asheville
Hayden, S. J.	Maxton
Johnson, P. F.	Rowland
Jones, R. E.	631 Barronne Street, New Orleans, La.
Kearse, D. H.	Rockingham
Laughlin, M. C.	1701 East Market Street, Greensboro
Lee, F. J.	Bessemer City
Lomax, W. T.	P. O Box 22, Reidsville
May, S. L.	Thomasville
McArthur, E. H.	532 High Street, Greensboro
McCallum, Marshall	Claflin College, Orangeburg, S. C.
McCallum, R. F.	Elkin
McGowans, A. S.	Greensboro
McLeod, Edward M.	R. F D.., Alexis
McRae, Robert	Hamlet
Meekins, J. B.	Red Springs
Morris, J. P.	Route 2, Box 41, Greenboro
Morris, R. G.	2111 East Third Street, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Newsome, A. H.	Statesville
Pass, N. J.	P. O. Box 744, Shelby

Patrick, M. M.	Laurinburg
Patterson, George W.	Lenoir
Peace, S. F. B.	Corner Macon and Thomas Streets, Greensboro
Peeler, S. A.	220 Woodfin Street, Asheville
Phelps, G. M.	911 Twelve-and-Half Street, Winston-Salem
Pressley, S. H.	Burton Street, West Asheville
Robertson, A. M.	39 Magnolia Avenue, Asheville
Robinson, A. E.	Newton
Rhyne, R. B.	Lenoir
Rush, J. C.	Maxton
Scales, W. B.	Madison
Scarborough, W. S.	Fairview Street, High Point
Schambourger, N. S. T.	1003 Bennett Street, Greensboro
Shipp, R. J.	Erick
Simpson, J. W.	Leaksville
Skeen, D. C.	Elkin
Shufford, J. W.	Greensboro
Swan, E. I. S.	Old Fort
Thomas, B. F.	Pugh Street, Lexington
Thomas, D. L.	Thomasville
Weatherby, R. T.	609 South Ashe Street, Greensboro
Wells, John W.	605 High Street, Greensboro
Wells, P. I.	737 South Twelfth Street, Hickory
Wells, W. M.	218 Dixon Street, Laurinburg
Winchester, R. W.	643 Walker Street, Statesville
Zeigler, W. R.	Guilford

DEACONS

Jones, Henry	Elkin
Staton, Beverly E.	Forest City

PROBATIONERS

Brown, L. A.	
Bynum, Charles G.	Clemmons
Green, James E.	
Hendrick, Leroy W.	Franklin
Hill, Dock A.	Asheboro
Hogue, George E.	Penhook, Va.
Perry, Cyrus W.	Clark University, Atlanta, Ga.
Taylor, Prince A.	

SUPPLIES

Alford, J. L.	Bullock
Cook, W. C.	Box 595, Charlotte
Covington, O. J.	Sanford
Dula, G.	Lenoir
Dunham, S. E.	Boone
Fletcher, E. L.	Laurinburg
Friend, Ira	Kernersville
Frost, E.	Route 5, Box 17, Mocksville
Jones, Baxter	Hamlet
Joyce, J. M.	Greensboro
Ledwell, J. H.	Caswell
Leek, E. M.	Goldsboro
Little, R. C.	Pembroke
Littlejohn, B. C.	Empire
Love, C. B.	Pleasant Ridge, Va.
McNair, H. M.	Hoffman
Meeks, J. H.	R. F. D., Bessemer City
Rush, E. A.	Wilmington
Smitherman, A.	Greensboro

VIII.

Roll of Dead

CROWNED FELLOW WORKERS

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
1816	Henry E. Pope	1870	7	May 28, 1879 Greensboro
1820	Mingo G. Croom	1874	7	March 17, 1881 Wilmington
	Geo. W. Price	1871	10	Sept. 12, 1881 Charlotte
	Florad Waters	1875	7	March 29, 1883 Maxton
1821	Mathew Alston	1870	14	April 1, 1884 Greensboro
	Nelson Farror	1871	4	Jan. 9, 1887 Raleigh
1816	James Payne	1878	9	April 1, 1888 Greensboro
1825	A. M. Turner	1874	16	August, 1888 Raleigh
	Josiah Caldicut	1871	16	Aug. 12, 1890 Marion
	Geo. W. Ratcliff	1891		1891 Hickory
1830	W. W. Morgan	1872	27	Sept. 16, 1882 Kernersville
1825	Wilson Gray	1877	15	November, 1892 Dobson
	Thos. S. Sitt	1893	1	November, 1894 Lexington
1839	W. W. Smith	1888	19	May 20, 1896 Lexington
1835	Wiley C. Gibson	1875	23	November, 1898 Hamlet
1826	Wyatt Walker	1871	26	May 20, 1900 Reidsville
1846	O. Letterlough	1889	2	April 20, 1900 Maxton
1840	C. Harshaw	1882	16	July 3, 1900 Lenoir
1840	Samuel L. Johnson	1890	12	Nov. 6, 1902 Mount Airy
1818	Andrew Conner	1870	20	Feb. 7, 1903 McPelah
1854	M. C. Rogers	1880	22	July 24, 1903 Salem
1841	John E. Chaplain	1869	34	Oct. 3, 1903 High Point
1837	Isaac Wells	1870	37	Feb. 28, 1907 Greensboro
1846	Evander McDaniel	1889	18	Aug. 8, 1907 Townsville
1867	Jacob C. Price	1907	4	May 23, 1911 Reidsville
1869	John M. McNeil	1902	9	Aug. 5, 1911 Rowland
	W. L. Dixon	1910	2	Nov. 18, 1912 Statesville
1852	S. A. Gibson	1890	22	Aug. 22, 1912 High Point
1831	David Connell	1871	41	Dec. 15, 1912 Greensboro
1863	Alexander Clark	1887	26	June 15, 1913 Greensboro
1869	John W. Davis	1893	21	April 14, 1914 Laurinburg
	L. G. McDonald			August, 1916 Lamar, S. C.
	Willis Ellison		23	Mr. 28, 1917 Winston-Salem
	Chas. W. Blaylock	1875	24	1917 Greensboro
	John C. Robbins		23	July 8, 1917 Gastonia
1856	W. A. Pryor		25	Aug. 25, 1918 High Point
1857	F. L. Bost	1893	12	Kernersville
1849	J. H. Hunter	1883	15	Greensboro
1848	S. M. Hanes	1875		Winston
1853	Samuel McDonald	1890	30	Winston
1853	S. P. West	1882	38	Jan. 22, 1921 Oxford
1864	G. F. Hill	1888		Feb. 26, 1920 Old Fort
	Henry Fink			
1835	L. B. Gibson	1870	34	May 7, 1922 Greensboro
1844	W. P. Hayes	1888	16	Aug. 28, 1922 Maxton
1861	M. M. Jones	1891	34	March 9, 1925 Greensboro

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
1872	J. A. Laughlin	1905	30	Nov. 19, 1925 Greensboro
	J. H. Isham			Sept. 21, 1927 Rockingham
	W. M. Crawford			November, 1927 Winston
1838	Elisha Howard	1885		February, 1928 Asheboro
1862	A. W. McMaster	1894	34	November, 1928 Greensboro
1858	J D. Murphy	1896	30	August, 1928 Maxton
1881	A. D. McDonald	1920	9	1928 Randolph
1848	Robert Smith	1886	50	Jan. 30, 1930 Brown Summit
1872	N. M. Martin	1906	24	Feb., 1930 Asheville
1864	G. W. Brower	1892	38	1930 High Point
1854	J. W. Jones	1898	32	1930 Guilford
1878	C. E. Howard	1916	14	July 25, 1930 Mocksville
1872	A. G. Jenkins	1905	25	Sept., 1930 t Charlote
1870	E. D. Petty	1894	36	1930 Chicago

IX.—HISTORICAL VIEW

	Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
1	February 8, 1837	Petersburg, Va.			----	----	----
2	January 31, 1838	Greenboro	Morris	G. H. Leigh	----	20030	----
3	January 26, 1839	Louisburg	Andrews	G. H. Leigh	----	20030	----
4	January 29, 1840	Newbern	Morris	G. H. Leigh	----	20225	----
5	December 20, 1840	Mocksville	Morris	S. S. Bryant	----	25889	----
6	October 26, 1841	Raleigh		S. S. Bryant	----	20579	----
7	October 26, 1842	Louisburg	Waugh	S. S. Bryant	----	22851	----
8	October 25, 1843	Halifax	Morris	S. S. Bryant	----	28413	----
9	December 4, 1844	Pittsburg	Soule	S. S. Bryant	----	21247	----
10	January 14, 1868	Union Chapel	Ames	William G. Matton	16	3229	14
11	January 6, 1869	High Point	James	William G. Matton	17	4106	----
12	December 20, 1871	Lincolnton	Simpson	William G. Matton	28	4560	69
13	December 28, 1872	Greensboro	Simpson	William G. Matton	36	8411	79
14	January 8, 1873	Charlotte	Ames	William G. Matton	37	8266	79
15	January 7, 1874	Lexington	Haven	William G. Matton	35	9531	100
16	January 5, 1875	Greensboro	Wiley	William G. Matton	44	8582	97
17	January 5, 1876	Winston	Foster	William G. Matton	44	9717	104
18	January 10, 1877	Wilmington	Harris	William G. Matton	47	10171	106
19	January 24, 1878	Lumberton	Scott	E. O. Thayer	42	852	112
20	January 30, 1879	Greensboro	Peck	E. O. Thayer	46	8525	127
21	February 4, 1880	High Point	Simpson	E. O. Thayer	39	9854	97
22	January 27, 1881	Raleigh	Warren	E. O. Thayer	34	7012	97
23	January 26, 1882	Laurinburg	Foster	W. F. Steele	30	7338	92
24	January 31, 1883	Winston	Merrill	W. F. Steele	37	7498	87
25	February 6, 1884	Greensboro	Bowman	W. F. Steele	37	7761	94
26	February 5, 1885	Lumberton	Andrews	W. F. Steele	41	8167	96
27	February 11, 1886	Charlotte	Ninee	W. F. Steele	43	8371	95
28	October 14, 1886	Raleigh	Walden	W. F. Steele	44	8424	95

29	October 27, 1887	High Point	Mallalieu	W. F. Steele	49	8664	100
30	October 25, 1888	Lenoir	Fitzgerald	C. N. Grandison	52	8948	115
31	October 25, 1889	Goldsboro	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	54	8034	
32	October 23, 1890	Maxton	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	60		
33	October 15, 1891	Winston	Warren	C. N. Grandison	63	8200	116
34	October 20, 1892	Reidsville	Foss	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
35	October 19, 1893	Lexington	Hurst	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
36	October 4, 1894	Oxford	Mallalieu	J. P. Morris	70	9612	124
37	October 16, 1895	Greensboro	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	78	8884	133
38	September 17, 1896	Charlotte	Andrews	R. W. S Thomas			
39	October 7, 1897	Laurinburg	Foster	R. W. S. Thomas	74	12751	133
40	October 13, 1898	Lenoir	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	77	7049	133
41	October 12, 1899	Winston	Fowler	R. E. Jones	73	9525	133
42	October 11, 1900	Reidsville	Foss	R .E. Jones	76	10579	133
43	October 17, 1901	High Point	Goodsell	R. E. Jones	78	10579	133
44	October 16, 1902	Mount Airy	Walden	R. E. Jones	80	19579	133
45	October 14, 1903	Greensboro	Joyce	S. A. Peeler	84	14555	151
46	October 13, 1904	Hickory	Fitzgerald	S. A. Peeler	88	11109	152
47	October 12, 1905	Maxton	Cranston	S. A. Peler	76	9773	166
48	October 11, 1906	Asheville	Burt	S. A. Peeler	76	11894	166
49	October 17, 1907	Winston	Spellheyer	S. A. Peeler	79	10222	172
50	October 15, 1908	Charlotte	Bristol	S. A. Peeler	81	10547	172
51	October 14, 1909	High Point	Moore	S. A. Peeler	76	11063	172
52	October 6, 1910	Leaksville	Neely	S. A. Peeler	78	10984	179
53	October 12, 1911	Greensboro	Anderson	S. A. Peeler	84	11499	162
54	October 20, 1912	Lenoir	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	79	12278	169
55	November 20-23, 1913	Maxton	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	85	12799	171
56	November 26-30, 1914	Thomasville	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	86	13225	173
57	December 1-4, 1915	Winston	Wilson	G. Haven Caldwell	91	13921	172
58	November 14-19, 1916	West Raleigh	Bristol	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13762	195
59	November 14-18, 1917	Hickory	Hughes	R. N. Brooks	88	14170	143
60	November 13-17, 1918	Charlotte	Bristol	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143
61	November 12-16, 1919	High Point	Bristol	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143
62	November 11-14, 1920	Winston	Bristol	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13266	195

63	November 10-13, 1921	Reidsville	Jones	G. Haven Caldwell	90	12557	195
64	November 8-12, 1922	Laurinburg	Wilson	G. Haven Caldwell	96	12900	195
65	November 7-12, 1923	Lexington	Bristol	J. A. Baxter	97	14537	218
66	Oct. 20-Nov. 2, 1924	Marion	Thirkield	J. A. Baxter	97	13261	254
67	Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1925	West Raleigh	Clair	S. A. Peeler	97	13138	-----
68	October 27-31, 1926	Madison	Thirkield	S. A. Peeler	95	11796	-----
69	October 26-30, 1927	Greensboro	Jones	S. A. Peeler	97	13321	-----
70	Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1928	Hickory	H. Lester Smith	G. Haven Caldwell	89	13762	179
71	October 23 27, 1929	Winston-Salem	Chas L. Mead	G. Haven Caldwell	88	13807	161
72	November 5-9, 1930	Charlotte	R. E. Jones	G. Haven Caldwell	89	13575	161

From the organization of Methodism in America, the work in North Carolina was continued in Virginia and afterwards in the Virginia and South Carolina Conferences. In the year 1836, the General Conference set up in North Carolina. Its first session opened as a part of the Virginia Conference, but when it adjourned there were two Conferences.

Facts from the first ninety sessions are gleaned from the General Minutes and from the Conference Journal for those years, which is now in custody of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

At the Conference of December 4, 1844, there were 19,495 white members and 3,990 colored. Without consulting the wisdom of the latter, nearly the whole membership became part of a new church, organized in May, 1845, and called the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Some of the colored members entered the A. M. E. Church, some the Colored M. E. Church of America, but thousands turned gladly to the bosom of the old Methodist Episcopal Church as it returned to the State after the Civil War.

Between the years 1844, when the Church was separated over the slave question, and 1865, when at the close of the War the M. E. Church returned to shepherd its scattering flock in North Carolina, there was no session of the North Carolina Conference.

From the North Carolina Conference the Blue Ridge was formed with twelve preachers, 2,839 members and probationers, and 41 church edifices.

X—STATISTICAL REPORTS

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT — **MINISTERIAL SUPPORT** — **GREENSBORO DISTRICT**

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	NAMES OF PASTORS	Support of Pastor—Total claims, incl. House Rent	Support of Pastor—Total Paid, incl. House Rent	Support of Pastor—Rental Value of Parsonage	Sup. of Dis. Supt.—Total Claim incl. House Rent and Adm. Exp.	Sup. of Dist. Supt.—Total Paid, incl. House Rent and Adm. Exp.	Support of Bishops—Claim	Support of Bishops—Paid	Support of Conference Claimants—Claim.	Support of Conference Claimants—Paid.	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency
1	Brown Summit	Rob Smith	$ 600	$ 328	$ ----	$ 90	$ 61	$ 9	$ 9	$ 30	$ 3	$ 403	$ 327
2	Caswell	J. H. Ledwell	400	228	----	60	52	6	6	20	3	344	142
3	Bullock and Creedmore	F. F. McCollum	----	----	----	36	----	----	----	----	----	239	135
4	Empire	B. C. Littlejohn	700	500	50	100	80	----	5	----	5	625	175
5	Greensboro—East	J. W. Shufford	1200	1058	273	180	150	24	7	60	13	1128	336
6	" —High Street	N. M. Black	1344	1150	144	180	180	15	15	12	12	1257	443
7	" —St. Matthew	R. F. Weatherby	2700	2355	300	300	300	30	25	100	50	2705	425
8	" —South	A. S. McGowan	845	840	----	180	180	----	----	----	----	1020	360
9	" —Northwest	N. S. T. Shambourger	1040	934	----	165	125	15	12	52	23	1094	178
10	" —Extension	J. M. Joyce	300	280	----	45	45	1	1	1	1	327	20
11	" —Southeast	W. A. Smitherman	10	10	----	----	5	1	1	1	1	17	----
12	Guilford	R. D. Bethea	1280	840	192	116	116	----	3	----	4	963	300
13	Leaksville	J. W. Simpson	1400	1035	200	195	110	15	7	60	15	1175	295
14	Newport News, Va.		900	350	----	----	65	----	1	----	1	640	----
15	Norfolk, Va.												
16	Oxford	J. W. Hall	850	625	150	105	68	----	5	----	20	718	122
17	Pleasant Ridge, Va.	C. D. Love					45	----	1	----	1		
18	Ramseur	Henry Davis	850	600	120	127	78	12	1	60	1	690	----
19	Randleman	E. H. McArthur	800	400	300	75	54	8	4	40	6	464	459
20	Reidsville	W. T. Lomax	1600	1500	250	206	174	27	10	67	40	1984	160
21	West Raleigh	S. A. Peeler	1400	1192	200	180	90	15	10	60	25	1755	438
	Totals		$18219	$14225	$2179	$2440	$1988	$179	$123	$563	$224	$17625	

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1	Bty. Spot and New Zion	F. J. Lee	$ 1000	$ 700	$	$ 150	$ 78	$ 4	$ 1	$ 10	$ 3	$ 782	$ 382
2	Bowmore and Mt. Zion	D. C. Skeen	1260	575	60	180	120					695	670
3	Charlotte Mission	S. J. Hayden	300	137	100	15	12					139	171
4	Charlotte	A. G. Jenkins		1200									
5	Fayetteville												
6	Goldsboro	J. L. Alford	265			60	11					265	
7	Hamlet	R. D. Abernethy	1550	1330	200		175		2		2		
8	Hamlet, South												
9	Hoffman and Sou. Pines	H. M. McNair	600			90	65		2	8	8	400	200
10	Johns and Beaver Dam	M. M. Patrick	1000	1000		150	136		2	50	10	1148	72
11	Laurin'g and Cl. Springs	J. E. Brower	2100	1850	300	270	250	15	10	50	30	2140	295
12	Lumberton	W. E. Hairston	1250	1250	150	165	165				15	1430	
13	Maxton and Piney Grove	J. C. Rush	1620	1270	120	225	191	4	4		19	1484	355
14	Pembroke Circuit	R. C. Little	540	196		65	37					196	343
15	Red Springs and Fayette	J. B. Meekins	1200	1200	200	150	114	4	4	7	7	1323	
16	Rocking'm and Philadl'a	C. L. Gidney	1000	750	100	180	100					850	750
17	Rowland-Salem	F. D. Caldwell	1300	1150	100	180	174		3		9	1336	
18	Sanford Circuit	E. L. Fletcher	650	339		97			1		2		300
19	St. Mark, Hickory Bend		325	250		40	40					290	
20	Wilmington	E. A. Rush					29					120	
21	St. Mark and Hky. Bend	O. J. Covington	385	132		50	33		2			132	242
	Totals		$16446	$13329	$1330	$2167	$1710	$ 87	$ 31	$125	$105	$12630	$ 3880

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1	Asheville	G. H. Caldwell	$1800	$ 1800	$ 300	$ 225	$ 225	$ 25	$ 25	$ 75	$ 75	$ 2125	$
2	Bess. City, Kings Mtn.	A. E. Robinson	1025	659	72	150	72			10	5	736	549
3	Boone	S. E. Dunham	500	400		72	72		1		1	474	
4	Catawba	J. R. Dillard	1000	488	60	105	98		1		1	588	
5	Cherry'le, El Btl, Shelby	B. F. Gleaves	1208	700	108	86	86					786	
6	Forest City	G. W. Patterson	900	400	120	135	93		1		2	496	
7	Franklin	Leroy W. Hedrick	700	700	100	75	75					775	
8	Gastonia	H. C. Gannaway	1222	1222	182	150	150		5	52	25	1402	27
9	Hickory	P. I. Wells	1420	1420	220	150	150		5		15	1590	
10	Lawndale and Brooks	N. J. Pass	1500	1500		210	210		8		5	1723	
11	Lenoir	R. B. Rhyne	1300	1300	200	173	173	10	2	25	5	1340	168
12	Lenoir Circuit	G. E. Hogue	672	300		46	46					346	372
13	Linc'n, Mt.Holly, Stanley	D. H. Kearse	950	375		135	41		1		1	418	676
14	Lowes and McPeelah	E. M McLeod	1033	740	33	146	146		2		2	990	
15	Marion	T. Z. Frazier	900	723		135	135	2	2	15	15	875	
16	Mooresville and Mayhew	A. M. Erwin	1144	853	144	150	125			50	2	980	376
17	Mt. Morn and Cornelius	W. C. Cook	600	250		58	50		1		1	302	356
18	Newton and Conover	B. L. Burge	1300	1060	100	180	124		3		5	1192	316
19	Old Fort	E . I. S. Swann	900	490	60	100	89	12	1	45	1	581	384
20	Sherrill's Fd, Ebenezer	Wm. Chavis	900	650	100	150	130		1		5	786	
21	Statesv'l, Philadelphia	A. H. Newsome	1144	1094	144	120	120	12	5		12	1087	70
22	Un. Mills, Brackettown	J. H. Meeks		215		40	40					255	
23	West Asheville	S F. Ferguson	900	400	96	120	50	5	1		2	453	547
	Totals		$30918	$17539	$2039	$3015	$2500	$ 66	$ 65	$272	$180	$20290	$ 3839

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1	Advance	T. C. Frazier	$ 250	$ 225	$	$ 48	$	$	$	$	$	$ 843	$
2	Asheboro	P. F. Johnson	1400	725	120	210	168			1		843	
3	Elkin	R. F. McCallum	1200	1000	220	141		11	8	25		1178	322
4	High Point—Bks. Mem'l	W. C. Scarborough	1350	1350	150	150	150	20	5	50	25	1530	40
5	" —St. Mark	H. L. Ashe	2550	2250	300	225	225	20		30	30	2555	
6	Lexington	S. F. B. Peace	1350	1000		195	131	15	10		10		1157
7	Kernersville	B. F. Thomas	1036	580		100	61	3	1	5	2	632	
8	Madison	W. B. Scales	1160	860	60	140	101	14	4	55	15	980	385
9	Mt. Airy	W. R. Zeigler	1125	585	120	150	70	12	5	50	17	677	477
10	Penhook	D. E. Staten	750	400	120	112	105					505	357
11	Rural Hall	Henry Jones	765	650			106		3		8	117	
12	Thomasville	D. L. Thomas	1180	850	180	150					8		
13	Thomasville, East	M. C. Laughlin	1000	700		105	105						
14	Trinity	S. L. May	1000	675		150	104	5	2	25	7	784	398
15	Walnut Cove	S. Steed											
16	Wilksboro	R. J. Shipp	550	312		82						414	102
17	W.-Salem—Bos. Cottage	E. Frost, Supply	450	347		66	66	1	1				
18	" —Mt. Pleasant	Robert McRae	1400	1015	200	180	60	12		5	10	1093	583
19	" —St. Andrews	P. J. Cook	1700	1700	208	208	200				10	1928	
20	" —St. Paul	W. M. Wells	2480	2480	480	300	300	25	25	100	100	2905	
21	Zion Hill	E. Montgomery											
22	Red Bank	Ira Friend											
	Totals		$22706	$17704	$2158	$3981	$2662	$148	$ 64	$346	$242	$16141	$ 3721

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Preparatory Members Received During the Year	Preparatory Members Now on Roll	Received from P.M. or on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer	Full Mem'sp now on Roll, not incl. Non-res. Inactive Members	Non-resident Inactive Mem.	Removed by Transfer	Deaths During Year	Number of Sunday Schools	S. S. Officers and Teachers	Enrolled in All Depts.	Sunday School Current Exp.	Epworth League—Senior and Young People	Epworth League—Intermediate and Juniors
1	Brown Summit	15	15	12		12	6	182			2	2	9		15		
2	Caswell		12	12	1	12		123			3	1	3	30	3		
3	Bullock and Creedmore	17	69	11	11	1		175	75		2	2	16	35	8		
4	Empire	9	22	18	14	18	1	152			5	3	19	180	42		
5	Greensboro—East	2	6			15		304			5	2	20	160	48	110	25
6	" —High Street	7	3	26	16	10		192	6		4	1	14	134	48	31	23
7	" —St. Matthew	6		17	27	5	10	484	50		7	1	18	226	53	97	16
8	" —South	14	20	11	34	11		200			3	3	30	150	15	40	20
9	" —Northwest	3	16	28	22	8	2	113	3		3	2	17	128	61		
10	" —Extension			7	7			60				2	6	52	8		
11	" —Southeast							10				1	2	15	1		
12	Guilford	18		13	14	13		114	3		7	3	21	114	20	30	
13	Laksville	5	4	8	2	6	1	175	15		3	2	15	150	48		
14	Newport News, Va.	1		1	5			64			1	1	12	73	44	26	
15	Norfolk, Va.																
16	Oxford			2	2	7	4	141	18		2	2	9	90	40		
17	Pleasant Ridge, Va.							30				1	2	15	2		
18	Ramseur		6		3	7	2	110			2	3	12	84	14		
19	Randleman		11	17	1	17		86	10		3	3	24	85	32		
20	Reidsville		42	40	5	37	3	366	36	3	3	2	23	198	58	20	27
21	West Raleigh	4	2	19	8	11	1	140	20	1	5	1	22	233	35		
	Totals	101	228	243	182	190	30	3221	236	4	70	38	294	2152	593	354	111

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1	Beauty Spot and Mt. Zion	10	13	36	8	23	2	185	90	3	8	2	16	120	31		
2	Bowmore and Mt. Zion	23	4	9		9	1	245	28	2	2	2	19	180	22		
3	Charlotte Mission			2	4			14				1	9	30	14		
4	Charlotte																
5	Fayetteville																
6	Goldsboro			3	39			39			2	1	4		9		
7	Hamlet	12		17		20	8	180			2	1	14	100	75	25	
8	Hamlet, South																
9	Hoffman and Sou. Pines	8	2	10	8		3	90	28		3	2	13	55	12		
10	Johns and Beaver Dam	6	10				3	178	25		3	2	8	140	45	10	
11	Laurinburg and Cool Springs	16	12	37	10	27	5	403	69		8	2	28	333	112	48	17
12	Lumberton			8	7	16		110			8	1	14	89	87	20	
13	Maxton and Piney Grove	17		34	59		5	383	196	4	12	2	18	201	88	40	
14	Pembroke Circuit			1	50			50	7		1	2	6	30	7		
15	Red Springs and Fayette	8		5	5	4	2	140	26	1	4	1	15	128	55	25	30
16	Rockingham and Philadelphia	14	15	31	186	9		186	28		15	2	17		14		
17	Rowland-Salem			15	15	15	41	300	50	4	6	2	19	199	75	20	15
18	Sanford Circuit	6	2	6		2		74	5		1	3	11	94	18		
19	St. Mark, Hickory Bend							38									
20	Wilmington		10	16	56	3		51			1	2	5	46		14	20
21	St. Mark and Hickory Bend		2	2	35	2		20				2	6	36	8		
	Totals	121	70	232	483	131	70	2686	552	14	76	30	223	1781	672	202	82

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Preparatory Members Received During the Year	Preparatory Members Now on Roll	Received from P.M. or on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer	Full Mem'sp now on Roll, not incl. Non-res. Inactive Members	Non-resident Inactive Mem.	Removed by Transfer	Deaths During Year	Number of Sunday Schools	S. S. Officers and Teachers	Enrolled in All Depts.	Sunday School Current Exp.	Epworth League—Senior and Young People	Epworth League—Intermediate and Juniors
1	Asheville	10		7	48	1	8	165	46	2	3	1	26	172	195	96	
2	Bessemer City, Kings Mtn.	11	2	9	8	13		75	60		2	3	15	90	30	50	
3	Boone						1	16	16		1	1	5	25	40		
4	Catawba	17		24	24	118		90	28		1	3	12	95	23		
5	Cherryville, El Bethel-Shelby	4		5		6		116	45	1	3	3	16	96	27	1	
6	Forest City							136	25		1	1	4	75	15		
7	Franklin	6	5	2	2	3	1	55	8		2	1	5	30	7	16	
8	Gastonia	30					5	66	19	1		1	12	96	25	25	30
9	Hickory	2				3	4	200			4	1	15	98	54		12
10	Lawndale and Brooks			20	25	20		315	35		7	3	30	260	60	40	55
11	Lenoir	8	2	4	8	4		176	9	3	11	1	14	98	45	20	31
12	Lenoir Circuit			22	22			30			1	3	10	75	6		
13	Lincolnton, Mt. Holly, Stanley		14			16	4	71	20		1	3	24	100	98		
14	Lowes and McPeelah	6	10	10		10		225	22		8	3	11	113	48		
15	Marion	47		28	128	28		128			1	1	10	136	40	25	
16	Mooresville and Mayhew	10	6	5	25	5		100	50		4	3	18	150	40		
17	Mt. Morn and Cornelius	5	3	5			2	80	5			3	8	25	10		
18	Newton and Conover	10	2	26	111	6	20	112	30			2	12	75	25	25	30
19	Old Fort			2	2	2	1	59	23		3	2	14	89	18	14	
20	Sherrill's Ford and Ebenezer	11		16	16	2		172	30		7	3	15	60	15		
21	Statesville and Philadelphia	11		6			5	104	36		2	2	12	122	16	12	15
22	Union Mills and Brackettown	1	3	4	38			38			4	2	8	38	8		
23	West Asheville			1	1			32	40		1	1	3	25			
	Totals	189	47	196	458	239	56	2499	567	7	58	40	303	1933	845	324	173

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP—SUNDAY SCHOOLS—EPWORTH LEAGUE — WINSTON DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Preparatory Members Received During the Year	Preparatory Members Now on Roll	Received from P.M. or on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer	Full Mem'sp now on Roll, not incl. Non-res. Inactive Members	Non-resident Inactive Mem.	Removed by Transfer	Deaths During Year	Number of Sunday Schools	S. S. Officers and Teachers	Enrolled in All Depts.	Sunday School Current Exp.	Epworth League—Senior and Young People	Epworth League—Intermediate and Juniors
1	Advance				65			65			1	2	7	55	5		
2	Asheboro					15	2	196	8		5	3	24	160	80	20	10
3	Elkin	1	1		24	3		131	23		5	4	24	126	88	22	
4	HighPoint—Brooks Memorial			13	10	2	11	150	10	1	3	1	12	135	100	20	25
5	" —St. Mark	3		14	18	18	21	418	7		3	1	21	268	72	28	31
6	Lexington	4		12	8			108			1	1	12	110	35	40	
7	Kernersville	6	10	15	15	16		175	50		5	3	24	190	40		
8	Madison		1	12	12		1	178	6		1	3	17	159	58	9	14
9	Mt. Airy	4	4	3	12	11	1	110	10		2	3	14	95	55		
10	Penhook	6	13	20	20	6		256	10		5	3	24	24	10		
11	Rural Hall	8	14	5		5	1	132			2	3	16	120			
12	Thomasville			2	8			150			3	1	13	137	40		
13	Thomasville East	6	4	15	200	4		200				2	12		68	15	
14	Trinity	4	1	16	9	3		162	54		3	4	18	224	68	35	
15	Walnut Cove																
16	Wilksboro	4	2	1								2	7				
17	Wins.-Salem—Boston Cottage				6			69	30			2	15	225	67		
18	" —Mt. Pleasant	7		5	94	5	1	104	11		3	1	7	50	15		
19	" —St. Andrews	10		16	8	12		251			4	1	14	150	60		
20	" —St. Paul	21	11	41	41		41	577	90		9	1	26	225	130	72	39
21	Zion Hill							35									
22	Red Bank							40									
	Totals	84	61	190	544	96	79	3505	309		55	41	307	2603	991	261	119

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Number of Church Buildings	Est. Value of Land & Bldgs.	Number of Parsonages	Est. Value of Land & Bldgs.	Value of Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds, Etc.	Paid by the Charge for Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness, not including Interest	Present indebtedness, including Debt on Current Expenses	Current Expenses, not including Ministerial Support	Local Preachers	Subscribers to The Advocates	Amount Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society
1	Brown Summit	2	$ 3100		$	$	$ 100	$	$ 5	$ 122	1		$ 24
2	Caswell	2	2100							22			
3	Bullock and Creedmorn	2	2500				9		135	70	3	3	2
4	Empire	3	4000	1	2000		700	51	161	65	1		
5	Greensboro—East	2	21000				730	117		50	2	8	75
6	" —High Street	1	8500	1	1500		185	205	300	193	1	5	41
7	" —St. Matthew	1	100000	1	2500					1913	4		175
8	" —South	3	18000		1800					100	3	4	
9	" —Northwest	2	11000		1200		100		4192	239	2		64
10	" —Extension	2	4000				30			20		2	40
11	" —Southeast	2	400							10			
12	Guilford	3	6000				50				1		
13	Leaksville	3	20000	1	2000		50	65	200	253	3	6	75
14	Newport News, Va.	1	3000	1	1000		135	100	100	150	2	4	25
15	Norfolk, Va.												
16	Oxford	2	10000	1	1300				150	105	1	7	
17	Pleasant Ridge, Va.	1	2500						95				
18	Ramseur	3	2200	1	900						1		18
19	Randleman	3	8000				15			40	2	5	5
20	Reidsville	2	70000	1	5000			873			2		
21	West Raleigh	1	30000	1	4000		113		1427	273	1	3	15
	Totals	41	$326300	9	$23200	$	$2217	$1411	$ 6765	$ 3625	30	47	459

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Number of Church Buildings	Est. Value of Land & Bldgs.	Number of Parsonages	Est. Value of Land & Bldgs.	Value of Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds, Etc.	Paid by the Charge for Buildings and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness, not including Interest	Present indebtedness, including Debt on Current Expenses	Current Expenses, not including Ministerial Support	Local Preachers	Subscribers to The Advocates	Amount Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society
1	Beauty Spot and New Zion	2	$ 5000		$	$	$ 160	$	$	$	4	8	$ 16
2	Bowmore and Mt. Zion	2	3000	1	1200				150	50	6	4	
3	Charlotte Mission	1	2500				3	225	700				
4	Charlotte	--											
5	Fayetteville	--											
6	Goldsboro	1	4500							35	1	6	
7	Hamlet	1	2000	1	200		10			225	3	8	
8	Hamlet, South	--											
9	Hoffman and Sou. Pines	2	3000								1	4	
10	Johns and Beaver Dam	2	5589				75	18	10			1	50
11	Laurinburg and Cool Springs	2	50000	1	20000		135	225	6275	300	3	20	65
12	Lumberton	1	5000	1	1500		150			350	1		
13	Maxton and Piney Grove	2	8000	1	2500		2060			190	2	8	
14	Pembroke Circuit	2	3500				175		60		1	2	
15	Red Springe and Fayette	1	12000	1	3000		150	30	20	150	1	5	
16	Rockingham and Philadelphia	2	1500								4		2
17	Rowland-Salem	2	20000	1			340	50	40		6	3	109
18	Sanford Circuit	3	4000				36						
19	St. Mark, Hickory Bend												
20	Wilmington	2	1000	1	900		25	291			2	1	
21	Hickory Bend and St. Mark	2	550				22		50	66		1	
	Totals	30	$135139	8	$29300	$	$3371	$ 839	$ 7205	$ 1366	35	66	242

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1	Asheville	1	$ 55000	1	$10000	10000	$	$1700	$ 2211	$ 525	1	17	182
2	Bessemer City, Kings Mountain	3	30000	1	1600		75	1500	14	50	3	2	10
3	Boone	1	2000				180	40	200	48	1	4	18
4	Catawba	3	5000	1	1500		37	50		40	1	1	
5	Cherryville, El Bethel-Shelby	3	9000	1	100			200	100	90	2	4	75
6	Forest City	1	8000	1				100	1150	20		1	3
7	Franklin	1	1000	1	1000		22			19		5	
8	Gastonia	1	7000	1	4000		18	117	208	211		3	18
9	Hickory	1	20000	1	5000		27	347		142	2		
10	Lawndale and Brooks	2	50000				120	15	60	75	2	5	10
11	Lenoir	1	5400	1	2000	1600	75	140	600	138	1	2	65
12	Lenoir Circuit	4	250					2		14	3	2	8
13	Lincolnton, Mt. Holly, Stanley	3	4500					50	500	175	1	3	45
14	Lowes and McPeelah	3	4000	2	1500		113				2	2	75
15	Marion	1	10000					300	400	100	1	3	103
16	Mooresville and Mayhew	3	8000				100	640	400		1		
17	Mt. Morn and Cornelius	3	5000				200	25		25	1	3	
18	Newton and Conover	3	2500	1	1000		135	10		70	4		135
19	Old Fort	2	4000	1	1500			125		25	1	3	5
20	Sherrill's Ford and Ebenezer	3	3000	2	300		60			90	2	1	
21	Statesville and Philadelphia	2	1800	1	1500		264			35		8	16
22	Union Mills and Brackettown	2	3000								1	3	
23	West Asheville	1	15000	1	1500						1	4	138
	Totals	48	$229450	17	$34500	11600	$1426	$5361	$ 5823	$ 1892	31	66	$904

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1	Advance	2	$ 2000	1	$ 500	$	$ 20	$ 10	$	$ 8			
2	Asheboro	3	24500	1	1500			200	100	280	2	1	100
3	Elkin	4	13000	1	2000		142	82		227	1	2	18
4	HighPoint—Brooks Memorial												
5	" —St. Mark	1	4000	1	1000	1000	301		225		1	5	175
6	Lexington	1	6300	1	6000			3146	17000	65000	1	5	70
7	Kernersville	1	3500						340	125			30
8	Madison	3	5000				5		10	60	3	5	20
9	Mt. Airy	3	12300	1	1000		150			120		4	41
10	Penhook	3	10000	1	2000			240	150	90		2	65
11	Rural Hall	3	6000	1	1000		40	125	125	5	1	3	25
12	Thomasville	3						50			1		10
13	Thomasville East	1	1000	1	600	1000		15	400	1000	1	2	
14	Trinity	3	8000				4000	125	1000	165	1		1
15	Walnut Cove	4	3000									3	42
16	Wilksboro												
17	Winston-Salem—Boston Cottage	2					25	15		12	1	2	
18	" —Mt. Pleasant												
19	" —St. Andrews	2	5000				50	20	16	80	2	4	15
20	" —St. Paul	1	5000				66	250	550	45	2	1	85
21	Zion Hill	1	1600	1					400	350	2		50
22	Red Bank	1	65000	1	10000				864	1344			278
	Totals	42	$175200	11	$25600	$2000	$4799	$4278	$21180	$68941	19	39	1025

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT—GREENSBORO DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Disciplinary Benevolences							Educational Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts	Hospitals and Homes; Endowments, Buildings, Etc.	Other Annual Conference Benevolences	Total Benevolences Ordered by Annual Conf.	Support of District Supt., including House Rent, Etc.	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Conference Claimants	Annual Conference Investments for Claimants	General Conference Expenses	Miscellaneous Expense Items	GRAND TOTAL, Including Disc. and Annual Conf. Exp.
		Total Cash Payment for all Purposes	On Apportionment	Annuities, Bequests, Etc.	Children's Day Fund	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences											
1	Brown Summit	$ 13	$ 74	$	$	$	$	$ 74	$ 9	$	$	$ 9	$ 61	$ 3	$ 10	$	$	$	$ 157
2	Bullock Hen'n																		
3	Caswell	6	20					20	5			5	52		4				81
4	Empire	39	70					70	5			5	80		5				160
5	Green'bo: East	20	91		5			96	7			7	150	7	13				273
6	High Street	20	70				14	84	15			15	130	8	12				249
7	Extension								5			5	45						50
8	Northeast																		
9	St. Mathews	75	1000				43	1043	69			69	275	25	50				1462
10	South	100	150				29	179	30			30	180						389
11	North-West	40	74		5			79	11			11	130	12	23				255
12	South-East	5							5			5	5	5					15
13	Guilford	8	35			1	8	44	5			5	116	3	4				172
14	Leaksville	97	125		5		34	164	15			15	150	15	15		3		362
15	Newport News		34					34	10			10							44
16	Norfolk																		
17	Oxford	25	40					40	5			5	68	5	20				138
18	Pleasant Ridge	2	23					23					45	1	1				70
19	Ramsauer	2	40		3		5	48	5			5	78	1	1				133
20	Randleman	10	30					30	7			7	54	4	6				101
21	Reidsville	50	141		5		10	156	20			20	184	5	40				405
22	West Raleigh	35	95		5		6	106	5			5	90	10	25				236
	Total	$547	$2112	$	$ 28	$ 1	$149	$2290	$233	$	$	$233	$1893	$104	$229	$	$ 3	$	$4752

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT — LAURINBURG DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Disciplinary Benevolences — Total Cash Payment for all Purposes	Disciplinary Benevolences — On Apportionment	Disciplinary Benevolences — Children's Day Fund	Disciplinary Benevolences — Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Disciplinary Benevolences — Woman's Home Missionary Society	Disciplinary Benevolences — Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Educational Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts	Hospitals and Homes; Endowments, Buildings, Etc.	Other Annual Conference Benevolences	Total Benevolences Ordered by Annual Conf.	Support of District Supt., including House Rent, Etc.	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Conference Claimants	Annual Conference Investments for Claimants	General Conference Expenses	Miscellaneous Expense Items	GRAND TOTAL, Including Disc. and Annual Conf. Exp.
1	B'ty. Spot, New Zion	$ 3	$ 25	$	$	$	$ 25	$ 5	$	$	$ 5	$ 78	$	$ 3	$	$	$	$ 111
2	Bowmore, Mt. Zion		41				41	5			5	120						166
3	Charlotte		39				39	3			3	100						142
4	Charlotte Mission	8	8				8	5			5	50						63
5	Fayetteville																	
6	Goldsboro		5				5					49						54
7	Hamlet	4	35			11	46	10			10	175	2	2				235
8	Hamlet, South	2	2			2	4	2			2							6
9	Hoffman, So. Pines	10	36				36	3			3	85	2	8				134
10	Johns, Beaver Dam	12	60		5		65	12			12	150	2	10				239
11	Laurinburg, Cl. Spgs	35	375	5		35	415	50			50	270	5	30				770
12	Lumberton	15	100			15	115					130		15				260
13	Monroe and Bethel							13			13	50		2				52
14	Maxton, Piney Grove	30	200	4	1	29	234	30			30	220	4	19		2		509
15	Pembroke Circuit		5				5					17						22
16	Red Springs Circuit	22	52	4			56	30			30	160	2	7				255
17	Rockingham, Phild'a		61				61	2			2	120						183
18	Rowland and Salem	16	100				100	30			30	174	3	9				316
19	Sanford Circuit	9	26	2			28	8			8	70	1	2				109
20	St. Mark, H'ky Bend	8	2				2	6			6	54						62
21	Wilmington	3	25				25					78		3				106
	Total	$177	$1197	$ 15	$ 6	$ 92	$1310	214	$	$	$214	$2150	$ 21	$110	$	$ 2	$	$3807

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Disciplinary Benevolences — Total Cash Payment for all Purposes	On Apportionment	Annuities, Bequests, Etc.	Children's Day Fund	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Educational Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts	Hospitals and Homes; Endowments, Buildings, Etc.	Other Annual Conference Benevolences	Total Benevolences Ordered by Annual Conf.	Support of District Supt., including House Rent, Etc.	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Conference Claimants	Annual Conference Investments for Claimants	General Conference Expenses	Miscellaneous Expense Items	GRAND TOTAL, Including Disc. and Annual Conf. Exp.
1	Asheville	$100	$ 350	$ 10	$	$	$ 93	$ 453	$ 34	$	$	$ 34	$ 225	$ 25	$ 75	$	$	$	$ 812
2	Bessemer City	4	30			1		31	5			5	77		4				117
3	Boone	3	50					50	5			5	75	1	1				132
4	Catawba	26	25		1			26					98						124
5	Cherryville, el Bethel, Shelby		21										78						78
6	Forest City	3	30		5			35	5			5	93	1	2				136
7	Franklin		45					45					75						120
8	Gastonia	32	147				14	161	25			25	150	5	25		2		368
9	Hikory	40	145				18	163					113		15				291
10	Lawnd'le, Br'ks	18	200		2			202	25			25	210	8	5		3		433
11	Lenoir	19	115		1	15	15	146	17			17	175	2	8		1		349
12	Lenoir Circuit		15					15					46						61
13	Lincolnton	1	21					21	1			1	41		1				64
14	Lowesville and McPeelah	19	60		2		2	64	3			3	146	2	2				217
15	Marion	30	115		4	1	9	129	6			6	135	2	15		2		289
16	Mooresville and Mayhew	3	32					32	5			5	128						165
17	Mt. Morn and Cornelius	17	18					18					50	1	2				70
18	Newton Center	50	75					79	14			14	124	3	5				225
19	Old Fort	4	34		1		4	39	1			1	89	1	1				131
20	Sherrill's Ford and Ebenezer	23	42		4	1	1	48	12			12	90	2	10	5			167
21	Statesville and Philadelphia	23	82		3			85	10			10	120	5	12				232
22	Union Mills and Brackettown	2	10		2			12					40						52
23	West Asheville	7	10	5				15	5			5	50	1	1				72
24	Waynesville								5			5							5
	Total	$424	$1651	$ 15	$ 25	$ 18	$160	$1869	$178	$	$	$178	$2428	$ 58	$184	$ 5	$ 8	$	$4730

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT—WINSTON DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Disciplinary Benevolences — Total Cash Payment for all Purposes	On Apportionment	Children's Day Fund	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Educational Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts	Hospitals and Homes; Endowments, Buildings, Etc.	City Miss. or Church Ex. Society	Total Benevolences Ordered by Annual Confer'ce	Support of District. Supt., including House Rent, Etc.	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Conference Claimants	Annual Conference Investments for Claimants	General Conference Expenses	Miscellaneous Expense Items	GRAND TOTAL, Including Disc. and Annual Conf. Exp.
1	Advance	$	$ 36	$	$	$	$ 36	$ 5	$	$	$ 5	$ 61	$	$	$	$	$	$ 102
2	Asheboro		20				20	30			30	100						150
3	Elkin	37	72				72	5			5	141	11	25		1		255
4	Brooks Memorial	108	90			16	106	10			10	150	5	25				296
5	St. Mark	180	135			65	200	20			20	225	5	30				480
6	Kernersville	2						3			3	61		2				66
7	Lexington	60	75			10	85	10		12	22	131	10	10				258
8	Madison	30	50	3	3	2	58	15			15	97	4	15	1	2		192
9	Mt. Airy	53	40	3			43	5			5	70	5	17			65	205
10	Penn Hook					10	10	2			2	106						118
11	Rural Hall	31	46				46	6			6	106	3	8				169
12	Thomasville	22	70	3		10	83	15			15			8				106
13	Thomasville East		8				8	25			25	105						138
14	Trinity	26	10	4	1	1	16			1	1	104	2	7				130
15	Walnut Cove																	
16	Wilksboro		14				14					41						55
17	Boston Cottage	8	43				43					66	1					110
18	Mt. Pleasant	25	35				35	5			5	64	2	5				111
19	St. Andrews	15	150			40	190	20	25	30	75	208	5	10			50	538
20	St. Paul	225	1012			114	1126	107			107	300	25	100				1658
21	Zion Hill	17	15				15							2				17
22	Red Bank																	
	Total	$839	$1921	$ 13	$ 4	$268	$2206	$283	$ 25	$ 43	$351	$2136	$ 78	$264	$ 1	$ 3	$115	$5154

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT—RECAPITULATION

NAME OF DISTRICTS	Total Cash Payments for All Purposes	Disciplinary Benevolences — World Serv. on Apportionm't	Disciplinary Benevolences — World Serv., Annuities, Etc.	Children's Day Fund	Woman's For. Mis. Society	Woman's Home Mis. Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Educational Endowment, Building, Special Gifts, Etc.	Benevolences—Hospitals, Homes, Fnd., Bldgs., Etc.	Benevolences: City Mission'y or Church Extension Society	Total Benevolences ordered by the Conference	Support of Dist. Supt. including House Rent, Adm. Exp.	Support of Bishops, Episcopal Fund	Support of Conference Claimants	Annual Conf. Investments for Conference Claimants	General Conference Expenses	Miscellaneous Expense Items	GRAND TOTAL, including Disciplinary and Am'l. Conf. Benev. and other Cash Items
	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
Greensboro	547	2112		28	1	149	2290	233			233	1893	104	229		3		4752
Western	424	1651	15	18		160	1869	178			178	2428	58	184	5	8		4730
Laurinburg	177	1197		25	18	92	1310	214			214	2150	21	110		2		3807
Winston	839	1921		15	6	268	2206	283	25	43	351	2136	78	264	1	3	115	5154
This year	1987	6881	15	81	29	669	7675	908	25	43	976	8607	261	787	6	16	115	18443
Last year	5575	8174		144	73	787	9208	841	34	1	876	8906	347	983	16	40	51	20303
Increase			15							42	100						64	
Decrease	3588	1293		63	44	118	1533	67	9			299	86	196	10	24		1860

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS—GREENSBORO DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Number of Schools	No. of Classes Under 18 Yrs.	No. of Classes Using Closely Graded Lessons	Officers and Teachers	Pupils of All Grades	Cradle Roll	Home Department	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance	Pupils, including Home Dept but not Baptized Children	Accessions During the Year to Church from Sunday School	Rally Day Offering	Paid by Sunday School to World Serv., not incl. Rally	Paid by Sunday School to All Other Benevolences	Expenses for Lesson Materials, Supplies, Etc.
1	Brown Summit	2	3	5	9	30			39	30			$	$ 40	$	$ 4
2	Caswell	1	2	1	3	35			38	27				20		3
3	Bullock and Creedmorn	2	2	4	16	75			91	43		11		140		12
4	Empire															48
5	Greensboro—East	2			20	140			160	85	120	8				48
6	" —High Street	1	6	7	14	134				77		21		12		53
7	" —St. Matthew	1	5	3	18	126						12		25		15
8	" —South	3	8	8	30	150				8		8			8	61
9	" —Northwest	2	7	7	17	100	16		128	65		20		40	5	
10	" —Extension															3
11	" —Southeast	1	1		2	15			17		8			5		20
12	Guilford	3		8	21	114				85						48
13	Leaksville	2	5		15	150	7		172	90		5	5	12		8
14	Newport News, Va.	1			14	126			140	80						
15	Norfolk, Va.									43		2	2			15
16	Oxford	2		4	9	90				5						
17	Pleasant Ridge, Va.	1	1		2	10				60		5		15		16
18	Ramseur	3			12	96			100	62		17	5	30	5	30
19	Randleman	3	5	4	25	75			221.	83	179					58
20	Reidsville	2	5	4	23	198					84	9	4	37		35
21	West Raleigh	1	17		22	200	8	3	233	114						
	Totals	33	67	55	272	1864	31	3	1339	657	$391	$118	$ 16	$376	$ 18	$479

Supplemental Report: Greensboro, High Street: No. of Vacation schools, 1; No. of Teachers and Helpers, 5; Pupil Enrollment, 130; Average Attendance, 98; No. of Paid Teachers and Helpers, 4; Methodist Pupil Enrollment, 88; Average Attendance, 71; Total Expense Vacation and Week Day Church Schools, 19.

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS—LAURINBURG DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Number of Schools	No. of Classes Under 18 Yrs.	No. of Classes Using Closely Graded Lessons	Officers and Teachers	Pupils of All Grades	Cradle Roll	Home Department	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance	Pupils, including Home Dept but not Baptized Children	Accessions During the Year to Church from SundaySchool	Rally Day Offering	Paid by Sunday School to World Serv., not incl. Rally	Paid by Sunday School to All Other Benevolences	Expenses for Lesson Materials, Supplies, Etc.
1	Beauty Spot and New Zion	2			16	54			104	55	30	3	$ 5	$ 5	$	$ 31
2	Bowmore and Mt. Zion	2	4		19	180			199			9		25	5	22
3	Charlotte Mission	1			9	30			30	15		2		8	5	125
4	Charlotte															
5	Fayetteville															
6	Goldsboro															
7	Hamlet	1			14	100				50	17	15	15			45
8	Hamlet, South															
9	Hoffman and Sou. Pines	2			13	55				20				26	5	12
10	Johns and Beaver Dam	2			8	80			140	15					15	20
11	Laurinburg and Cool Springs	2			28	333			333	147			59			63
12	Lumberton	1			14	45			99	54				18	10	56
13	Maxton and Piney Grove	2			18	201			201	123					5	58
14	Pembroke Circuit	2			6	30			30	15				5		7
15	Red Springs	1			16	130			130	100				5		20
16	Rockingham and Philadelphia	2			17											
17	Rowland-Salem	2												50		60
18	Sanford Circuit	3			11	94			94	56				26		18
19	St. Mark, Hickory Bend	2			6	36			36	20				4		
20	Wilmington and Bolton	2			2	41				41				15		
	Totals	29	4		197	1488			1396	710	47	29	$ 79	$ 87	$ 45	$537

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Number of Schools	No. of Classes Under 18 Yrs.	No. of Classes Using Closely Graded Lessons	Officers and Teachers	Pupils of All Grades	Cradle Roll	Home Department	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance	Pupils, including Home Dept but not Baptized Children	Accessions During the Year Church from SundaySchool	Rally Day Offering	Paid by Sunday School to World Serv., not incl. Rally	Paid by Sunday School to All Other Benevolences	Expenses Materials, Supplies, Etc.
*1	Asheville	1	4	5	26	108	23	15	172	85	123	3	$	$162	$ 25	$195
2	Bessemer City, Kings Mountain	3	3	2	15	90			90	50	30	12		30	5	25
3	Boone	1	2		5	25	9		34	15	25					
4	Catawba	3			12	95										
5	Cherryville, El Bethel-Shelby	3			16	96										
6	Forest City	1	3		4	75			25				5	10		15
7	Franklin	1	2	1	5	30			30	20		3	55	45		7
8	Gastonia	1	8	10	12	96			96	46						25
9	Hickory	1	5	7	12	98			98			1			8	54
10	Lawndale and Brooks	3	7		30	260				225		5		200	10	65
11	Lenoir	1	7	2	14	90	18		122	78	102	6	16	42	14	45
12	Lenoir Circuit	3	3		10	75			85	50				8	5	6
13	Lincolnton, Mt. Holly, Stanley	3	3	6	24	100			100	65	68	12		12	1	98
14	Lowesville and McPeelah	3	2		12	113	11		136	81		9				48
15	Marion	1	3	3	10	136	15	16	136	88	10	7	10	7	4	40
16	Mooresville and Mayhew	3	6		18	150			150	125	25	5			2	40
17	Mt. Morn and Cornelius	3			8	50			50							5
18	Newton and Conover	2	5		12	75			75	38		10		10		25
19	Old Fort	2	4		14	75			89	40	21	2	4	5	2	18
20	Sherrill's Ford and Ebenezer	3			15	150			150	75	6	4			25	60
21	Statesville and Philadelphia	2	4		12	110			122	40	75	6	10	72	10	20
22	Union Mills and Brackettown	2			8				38		1	1		10		8
23	West Asheville	1	3		5	40			45	30						
	Totals	48	159	36	299	1737	76	31	1818	1176	486	86	$100	$613	$111	$789

Supplemental Report: Asheville: Leadership Training, Methodist, 1; Marion (same) 3; Methodist Enrollment, both types: Asheville, 15. Vacation Schools: Marion: No. of Vacation Schools, 1; No. of Teachers and Helpers, 5; Pupil Enrollment, 100; Average Attendance, 75; Week-Day Church School: No. of Paid Teachers and Helpers, 4; Methodist Pupil Enrollment, 73; Average Attendance, 75; Total Expense Vacation and Week-Day Church Schools, 30.

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Number of Schools	No. of Classes Under 18 Yrs.	No. of Classes Using Closely Graded Lessons	Officers and Teachers	Pupils of All Grades	Cradle Roll	Home Department	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance	Pupils, including Home Dept but not Baptized Children	Accessions During the Year to Church from SundaySchool	Rally Day Offering	Paid by Sunday School to World Serv., not incl. Rally	Paid by Sunday School to All Other Benevolences	Expenses for Lesson Materials, Supplies, Etc.
1	Advance	2	3	3	7	55			55	32	41		$	$	$	$ 5
2	Asheboro	2	6		24	160		2	186	125	10	10		20	20	60
3	Elkin	4			24	126	2		128				3	8	88	
4	HighPoint—Brooks Memorial	1	6	5	12				135	75	25	13	22			30
5	" —St. Mark	1	8		21	267		18	285	121	234	28		46	72	
6	Lexington	1	4		12	110			122	50			30	40		
7	Kernersville	3	4	5	24	190	14		218	35	3	2				
8	Madison	1	6		17	161			178	45		11			45	30
9	Mt. Airy	3	5	2	14	95	15		110	75	35	9		24	8	50
10	Penhook	3	5		14	124			124	75		5	3	3	15	
11	Rural Hall	3	4		12	175										
12	Thomasville	1	4		13	137				45			70	10	28	
13	Thomasville East	3			15	130	15	11	156	85	4	4		8		40
14	Trinity	1	7	2	18	206			224	130	9	5		1		
15	Walnut Cove	1	2		8	41										
16	Wilksboro	2	5	5	7	71				71	15					25
17	Winston-Salem—Boston Cottage	2	11	11	15	225			225	125	50	3	4	30	67	
18	" —Mt. Pleasant	1	3		7	50			50	25	15	4		35		
19	" —St. Andrews	1	4		14	150							150	60		
20	" —St. Paul	1	8	6	25	225				165	77	4	138		130	
21	Zion Hill															
22	Red Bank															
	Totals	37	95	29	303	2708	46	31	2196	1329	515	148	420	285	473	761

EPWORTH LEAGUE STATISTICS—GREENSBORO DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Senior and Young People's League — Chapters	Senior and Young People's League — Members	Intermediate and Junior League — Chapters	Intermediate and Junior League — Members	Epworth Heralds Taken	Paid to Central Office	Paid to World Service
1	Brown-Summit						$	$
2	Caswell							
3	Bullock and Creedmore							
4	Empire							
5	Greensboro—East	2	110	1	25			
6	" —High Street	1	30	1	23		1	
7	" —Northeast							
8	" —St. Matthew	1	125	1	40	6		10
9	" —South							
10	" —Northwest							
11	" —Extension							
12	" —Southeast							
13	Guilford	1	30					
14	Leaksville	1	30					
15	Newport News, Va.							
16	Norfolk							
17	Oxford							
18	Pleasant Ridge, Va.							
19	Ramseur							
20	Randleman							
21	Reidsville	1	20	1	25	2		
22	West Raleigh	1	35	1	26			10
	Totals	8	280	5	139	8	1	25

EPWORTH LEAGUE STATISTICS—LAURINBURG DISTRICT

1	Beauty Spot and New Zion						$	$
2	Bowmore and Mt. Zion							
3	Charlotte Mission							
4	Charlotte							
5	Fayetteville							
6	Goldsboro	1	20		15			
7	Hamlet	1	20					
8	Hamlet South							
9	Hoffman and Southern Pines							
10	Johns and Beaver Dam	1	10			3		5
11	Laurinburg and Cool Springs							
12	Lumberton	1	20					
13	Maxton and Piney Grove	1			40			
14	Pembroke Circuit							
15	Red Springs							
16	Rockingham and Philadelphia							
17	Rowland and Salem	1	20	1	15			
18	Sanford Circuit							
19	St. Mark and Hickory Bend							
20	Wilmington							
	Totals	6	90	1	70	3		

EPWORTH LEAGUE STATISTICS—WESTERN DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Senior and Young People's League — Chapters	Senior and Young People's League — Members	Intermediate and Junior League Chapters	Intermediate and Junior League — Members	Epworth Heralds Taken	Paid to Central Office	Paid to World Service
1	Asheville	1	96			10	$	$
2	Bessemer City and Kings Mountain	2	50					
3	Boone							
4	Catawba							
5	Cherryville, El Bethel, Shelby							
6	Forest City							
7	Franklin	1	16					
8	Gastonia	1	25	1	30		2	20
9	Hickory	1	28	1	14		1	
10	Lawndale and Brooks	1	40	1	55			
11	Lenoir	1	51	1	30			20
12	Lenoir Circuit							
13	Lincolnton, Mt. Holly, Stanley							
14	Lowesville and McPeelah							
15	Marion	1	25					
16	Moorsville and Mayhew							
17	Mt. Morn and Cornelius							
18	Newton and Conover	1	25	1	30			
19	Old Fort	1	14.			1	1	2
20	Sherrillsford and Ebenezer							
21	Statesville and Philadelphia	1	12	1	15			
22	Union Mills and Brackettown							
23	West Asheville							
	Totals	12	312	6	174	11	4	42

EPWORTH LEAGUE STATISTICS—WINSTON DISTRICT

1	Advance						$	$
2	Ashboro	1	20	1	10	1	1	1
3	Elkin	1	22	1	12			
4	High Point	1	28	1	31	1		
5	" Brooks Memorial	1	20	1	25			
6	" St. Mark							
7	Lexington	1	40			1		4
8	Kernersville							
9	Madison	1	9	1	14			
10	Mt. Airy	1	22	1	14	1		
11	Penhook							
12	Rural Hall							
13	Thomasville	1	30	1	28			
14	Thomasville East	1	15	1	18			
15	Trinity	1	35	1	14	2		10
16	Walnut Cove							
17	Wilksboro							
18	Winston-Salem—Boston Cottage							
19	" Mt. Pleasant							
20	" St. Andrews	1	34	1	29	2		
21	" St. Paul	1	72	1	39	8		18
22	Zion Hill							
23	Red Bank							
	Totals	12	347	11	220	16	1	33

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